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ABSTRACT

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This Thesis describes the results of X-ray crystallographic structure determinations on five organo-metallic complexes which all involve cobalt metal-metal bonds and π bonded organic ligands such as acetylenes and arenes.

The first structure reported is that of tris(hexacarbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine which is a product of the reaction of triethynylarsine and dicobaltoctacarbonyl. The molecule possesses a *pseudo* three-fold axis with a dicobalthexacarbonyl fragment π bonded to each acetylenic linkage. The acetylene-cobalt geometry is discussed.

The structures of two substitution products of dicobalthexacarbonyldiphenylacetylene with $\text{Ph}_2\text{MCH}_2\text{NPh}_2$ where Ph = phenyl and M = P or As were also investigated. The complexes $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_4(\text{PhCCPh})(\text{Ph}_2\text{PCH}_2\text{PPh}_2)$ and $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_2(\text{PhCCPh})(\text{Ph}_2\text{AsCH}_2\text{AsPh}_2)_2 \cdot 1,2\text{-C}_2\text{H}_4\text{Cl}_2$ include chelating

diphosphine and diarsine ligands, respectively, which bridge the cobalt-cobalt bond. The diphenylacetylene is also found to bridge the cobalt-cobalt bond.

Finally, two products of the reaction of arenes with tetracobaltdodecacarbonyl were investigated by X-ray crystallography. The mixed crystal of *ortho*- and *meta*-xyleneenneacarbonyltetracobalt as well as the complex benzene-enneacarbonyltetracobalt are reported. Both compounds display an arene π bonded to the apical cobalt atom of a tetrahedral $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ cluster. The bonding features of the arene ring are discussed.

RESUME

ETUDES DES STRUCTURES CRISTALLINES ET MOLECULAIRES DE QUELQUES DERIVES DU DICOBALTOCTACARBONYLE ET DU TETRACOBALTDODECACARBONYLE AVEC DES LIAISONS COORDONNEES A CARACTERE PI

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Cette thèse est le compte rendu des études cristallographiques de cinq composés organométalliques à liaison cobalt-cobalt coordonnés par des liens pi aux acétylènes ou aux hydrocarbures benzéniques.

La première structure étudiée est celle du tri(hexacarbonyledicobalt- π -éthynyle)arsine, produit par réaction du tri-éthynylarsine sur le dicobaltoctacarbonyle. La molécule possède un axe pseudo-trigonale. Chacune des liaisons acétyléniques est pontée par un fragment dicobalt-hexacarbonyle.

Les structures de deux produits de substitution du dicobalthexacarbonylediphénylacétylène avec $\text{Ph}_2\text{NCH}_2\text{MPh}_2$ (Ph - phényle et M - P ou As) ont été étudiées. Dans les structures $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_4(\text{PhCCPh})(\text{Ph}_2\text{PCH}_2\text{PPh}_2)$ et $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_2(\text{PhCCPh}) \cdot (\text{Ph}_2\text{AsCH}_2\text{AsPh}_2)_2 \cdot 1,2\text{-C}_2\text{H}_4\text{Cl}_2$, les deux atomes de cobalt sont pontés par les deux atomes de phosphore chez les

diphosphines et par les deux atomes d'arsenic chez les diarsines.

Deux produits de la réaction des hydrocarbures benzéniques avec le tétracobaltdodécacarbonyle ont été étudiés par les méthodes cristallographiques. Le système *o*-xylène- et *m*-xylène-nonacarbonyletétracobalt qui présentent un phénomène de désordre local et le complexe benzène-nonacarbonyletétracobalt sont exposés. Chez ces derniers, les hydrocarbures aromatiques forment une liaison π avec la tête du tétraèdre $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$.

This Thesis is
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to my father,
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CHAPTER I. GENERAL INTRODUCTION.

The prime objective of this Thesis is to present the results of single crystal X-ray crystallographic structure determinations of five novel organometallic complexes synthesized in this laboratory. These five complexes have the common feature that they are all π bonded derivatives of either dicobaltoctacarbonyl ($\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$) or tetracobaltdodecacarbonyl ($\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$). Their differences however have forced their segregation into three separate chapters representing separate compound classes.

It was deemed necessary to introduce properly each class by reviewing the structural research which precedes this work. In this way, the reader will not find it necessary to go to external sources to familiarize himself with the material. Furthermore, the original work reported in this Thesis will thus be placed in context while maintaining a sharp division with the work done by others. Each of the three chapters (II to V) contains three sections; 1) an introduction, 2) an experimental section and 3) a results and discussion section. Chapter II presents general experimental techniques used for all chemical and crystallographic studies. Finally, a six part Appendix gathers together chemical and crystallographic data which are either

of secondary importance to the body of the Thesis or which constitute the pre-treated data.

X-ray crystallographic techniques have now become commonplace within the confines of molecular structural research. With modern automated diffractometers, the undertaking of a structural problem by X-ray crystallography no longer represents a major technical challenge, although it is not altogether routine. A recently published note¹ by Cotton and Troup describes, as summarized by the title, "... X-ray Crystallography as a Practical Means of Cheap, Rapid and Definitive Analysis". In view of the fact that four structures were solved, each within 7.5 working man hours through an average elapsed time of 84 hours at an average computing cost of 139 dollars, it is difficult to refute this claim. The reader must bear in mind, however, that the term 'solved' means to isotropic convergence only. The time and money-consuming intricacies of anisotropic refinement as well as various corrections and improvements are not included. The accuracy of Cotton's structure determinations is limited. To carry a single crystal X-ray structure determination to the point where sound theoretical arguments can be made based on bond and angle differences requires considerably more time and money.

Many review articles have been published on the transition metal carbonyls^{2 - 6} with a large

concentration on the structural aspects. Cotton and Wilkinson⁷ have presented a rather clear picture of the bonding of carbon monoxide to transition metals. Chemical as well as physical contradictions have led to an explanation of the bonding of CO to transition metals in terms of a synergic bonding mechanism. According to this multiple bonding scheme,⁸ there is dative bonding between a filled carbon σ orbital of CO and the metal accompanied by the simultaneous dative overlap of a filled $d\pi$ metal orbital with an empty p_{π}^* orbital of CO. Since this antibonding orbital is becoming populated, the C \equiv O bond is consequently weakened. This effect is most clearly observed in the approximate 150 cm^{-1} drop in the C \equiv O stretching frequency when comparing free :C \equiv O: (2143 cm^{-1}) with a terminal transition metal carbonyl ligand.

The carbonyl ligand has been observed to be both terminal and bridging. There is also a possibility that the bridge may be two point or three point. Usually bridging carbonyl ligands help keep the metals in sufficiently close proximity to allow bonding between them.

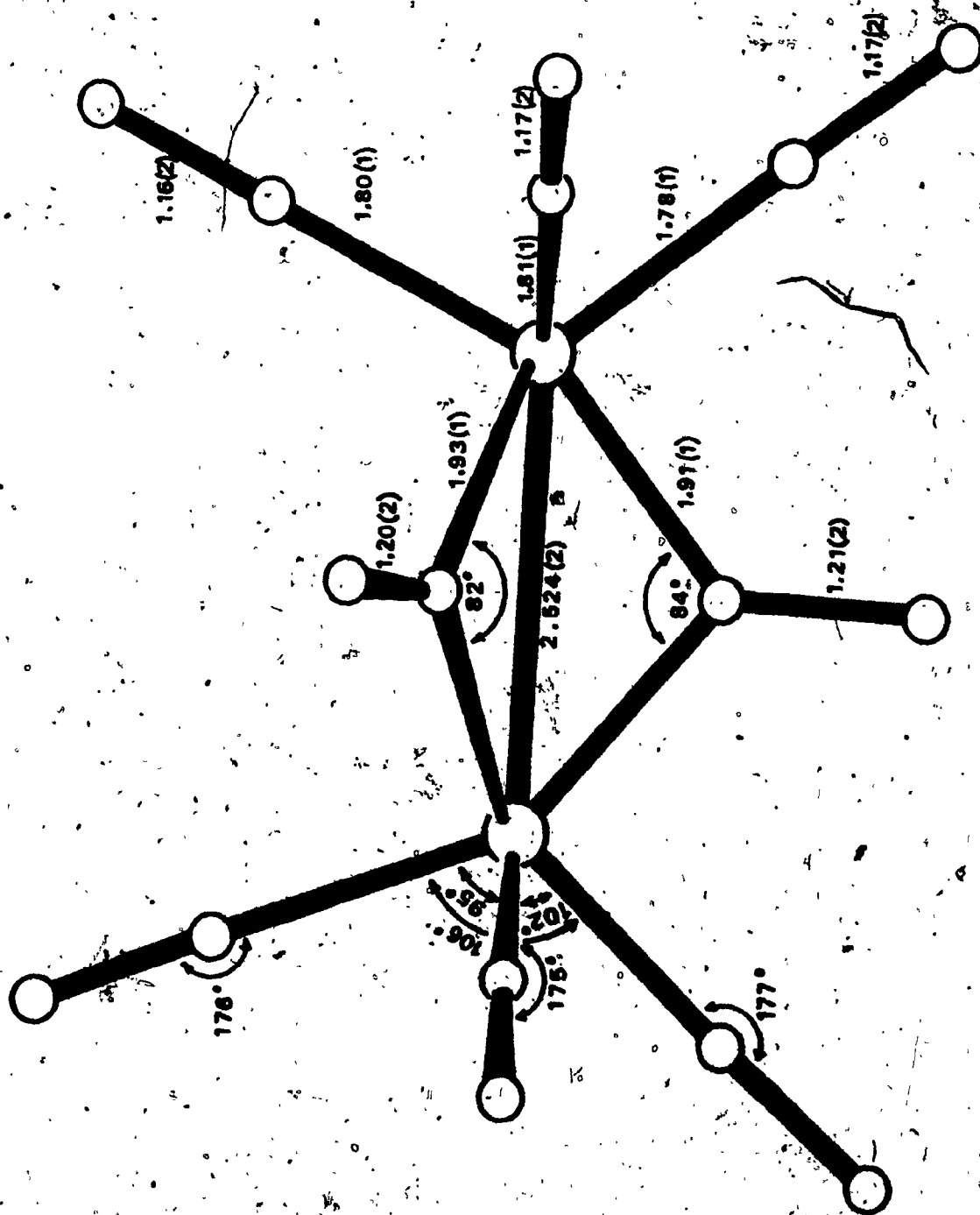
In solution, it is claimed that some structures interconvert between bridging and non-bridging forms. This stereochemical non-rigidity has been studied by Bullitt, Cotton and Marks^{9,10} for $((\eta^5\text{-C}_5\text{H}_5)\text{Fe}(\text{CO})_2)_2$ by nuclear magnetic resonance (nmr) spectroscopy. Similar

interconversion has been proposed for $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$ and $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$, the two most frequently encountered cobalt carbonyl complexes. The remainder of this Introduction is dedicated to an examination of these two compounds, precursors of the products reported in this Thesis.

When Sumner *et al.*¹¹ finally published the results of a single crystal X-ray crystallographic structure determination of $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$, five different geometries had been proposed for its structure using various physical methods. Two independent $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$ molecules were discovered in the asymmetric unit (both lying on a mirror plane). The bond lengths and angles reported here (Figure I-1) are a weighted mean. The co-ordination about the cobalt atom is distorted octahedral (d^2sp^3 hybridization). The Co-Co bond length is reportedly 2.524(2) Å. Infrared spectral analysis of $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$ in solution¹² suggested that only the bridged form existed in solution but evidence for the unbridged form was given at a later date.¹³ It seems reasonable now to assume that the two structures are interconverting in solution at room temperature.

Such an interconversion has been shown by Cotton and co-workers for tetracobaltdodecacarbonyl ($\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$). The idea was originally proposed in 1966¹⁴ on a purely hypothetical basis. In 1972, Cotton *et al.*¹⁵ proved rapid scrambling of the CO groups in $\text{Rh}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ by ^{13}C nmr and

Figure I-1. A schematic representation of the molecular geometry of dicobaltoctacarbonyl with pertinent bond lengths and angles as taken from Ref. 11.



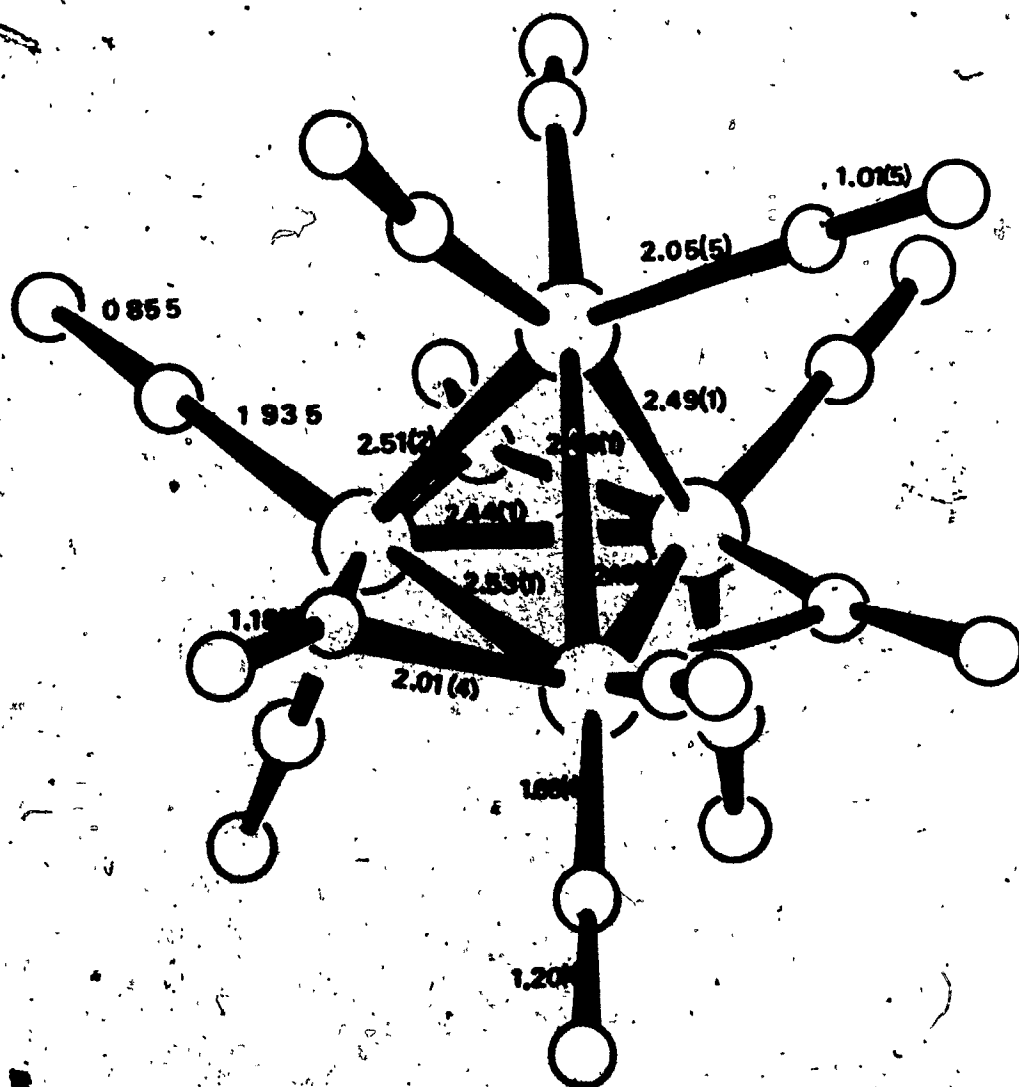
extrapolated these findings to the complex $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$.

Corradini¹⁶ first published a two-dimensional X-ray study of $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ which was far from detailed but which did indicate positively that a tetrahedron of cobalt atoms was present. Various infrared studies¹⁷ supported this model but arguments remained over the nature of the bonding of the 12 carbonyl groups. This controversy was settled by a single crystal X-ray structure determination of the disordered $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$.^{22,23}

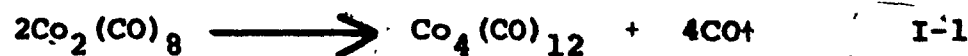
The crystals of $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ studied by Wei consist of two-fold disordered tetrahedral clusters of cobalt atoms which give rise to a *pseudo* two-fold axis. Bond lengths and angles for an asymmetric unit were calculated and, applied to a single $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ molecule, can be seen in Figure I-2. The average carbonyl-bridged basal Co-Co distance is 2.485(14) Å whereas the basal-to-apical cobalt distances average 2.494(16) Å. The compound has been classified as a closed metal carbonyl cluster (CMCC) 6/7/7/7 by Chini.²⁴

$\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ was first synthesized²⁵ by the thermal decomposition of $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$ (Equation I-1). Recently Ungváry and Markó²⁶ have published an article on the kinetics and mechanism of this thermal decomposition. The rate-determining step is the dimerization of two $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$

Figure I-2. A schematic representation of the molecular geometry of tetracobaltdodecacarbonyl with pertinent bond lengths and angles as taken from Ref. 23 .



units to form $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$. These units are formed from $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$ by the successive loss of one, then another mole of CO gas.



Finally, it must be added that the form, the abbreviations and the presentation of references used in this Thesis are all according to the American Chemical Society. 27

CHAPTER II. GENERAL EXPERIMENTAL TECHNIQUES.

SECTION A. CHEMICAL

Chemical reactions reported in this Thesis were carried out in an Erlenmeyer flask with sidearm under an atmosphere of pre-dried nitrogen gas. A water-cooled reflux condenser was in turn connected by an airtight link to a mercury bubbler. The reaction mixture was stirred using a magnetic stirrer which was combined with a hotplate.

The chemicals used in these reactions were obtained from the manufacturers listed in Table II-A-1 and, for the most part, were used without further purification. The solvents were dried over calcium hydride or lithium aluminum hydride by refluxing for several days. They were distilled in an atmosphere of nitrogen gas. The solvents used for infrared spectroscopy and nmr spectroscopy were not purified.

The chromatographic columns that were used varied in diameter and length. Silica gel powder (60-200 mesh from the J.T. Baker Co.) was invariably used. It was

TABLE II-A-1

SOURCE OF CHEMICALS AND SOLVENTS

Chemicals:

Acetylene ('Presto-lite' dissolved)	Linde Chemical
Aniline (mp -7° to -6°C)	Canlab ^a
Benzene (Reagent)	Fisher ^b
Bromoethane (Practical)	Fisher
Benzonitrile (Reagent)	Fisher
Dicobaltoctacarbonyl (Assay 98%)	Alfa Inorganics
<i>o</i> -xylene (Reagent)	Fisher
<i>m</i> -xylene (Reagent)	Fisher
<i>p</i> -xylene (Reagent)	Fisher
Hexachlorobenzene (Practical)	Fisher
Hexaethylbenzene (Highest Purity)	Aldrich Chem. Co. Ltd.
Hexafluorobenzene (Highest Purity)	Aldrich Chem. Co. Ltd.
Hexamethylbenzene (Reagent)	Eastman Kodak Co. Ltd.
Magnesium metal filings (Grignard)	Fisher
Toluene (Practical)	Eastman Kodak Co. Ltd.
Tetracobaltdodecacarbonyl	From $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$
Trichloroarsine(III) (Reagent)	Baker and Adamson Ltd.
<i>o</i> -trifluorotoluene (Practical; bp $100-102^{\circ}\text{C}$)	Canlab
1,3,5-trihydroxybenzene (Practical; bp $217-219^{\circ}\text{C}$)	Fisher
1,3,5-trimethylbenzene (Practical; bp $160-163^{\circ}\text{C}$)	Eastman Kodak Co. Ltd.

TABLE II-A-1 (CONT'D)

1,3,5-trinitrobenzene (Practical;
10% water)

Eastman Kodak Co. Ltd.

Solvents:

Chloroform (N.F.)

Fisher

Cyclohexane (Certified)

Fisher

Dichloromethane (Certified)

Fisher

Diethylether (Practical)

Fisher

Hexane (Technical)

Anachemia Chemicals

Ligroin (bp 66° - 75° C)

Fisher

Tetrahydrofuran (Certified)

Fisher

Carbon disulphide (Certified
Spectroanalyzed)^b

Fisher

Tetrachloroethylene (Reagent)

J.T. Baker Chem. Co.

Miscellaneous:

Calcium hydride (Purified)

Fisher

Lithium aluminum hydride

Alfa Inorganics

Glyptal cement

General Electric

^a Canadian Laboratory Supplies Limited

^b Fisher Scientific Company Limited

sometimes deactivated with water and the columns were always packed wet and topped with fine sea sand.

Chemical analyses were performed by Galbraith Laboratories Inc., Knoxville, Tennessee, United States of America.

Melting points were measured on a Gallenkamp melting point apparatus. A sample of the compound was crushed to a powder and packed in a capillary tube which was flushed with nitrogen gas and sealed with putty. The melting points were not corrected.

Most infrared spectra were recorded on a Perkin-Elmer grating infrared double beam spectrophotometer model number 457. Peak frequencies are reported to $\pm 3\text{cm}^{-1}$. Some spectra were recorded on a Perkin-Elmer grating infrared double beam spectrophotometer model number 225. Peak frequencies can be reported to $\pm 1\text{cm}^{-1}$ for this instrument. Spectra from both instruments were calibrated using a polystyrene film at 2850.7, 1601.4, 906.7 and 698.9cm^{-1} . Abbreviations used in tables quoting infrared frequencies are: vs - very strong, s - strong, m - medium, w - weak, sh - shoulder, bd - broad.

Unless otherwise specified, 1.0 mm matched sodium chloride cells (Beckman) were used for the solution

spectra. Potassium bromide windows were used for the NUJOL mull spectra with a 0.01 mm spacer in a demountable infrared cell (Research and Industrial Instruments Co.).

The proton magnetic resonance spectra were recorded on a Varian A60-A spectrometer. The chemical shifts quoted are those relative to tetramethylsilane used as an internal standard. Mass spectra were recorded using a Hitachi Perkin-Elmer double-focusing mass spectrometer model number RMU-6E.

All density measurements were done by the flotation method. The crystal was placed in a solution whose density was adjusted until the crystal neither moved upward or downward in the body of the solution. The density of the solution (assumed equal to that of the crystal at this point) was measured using a 10.0 ml pycnometer. The volume of the pycnometer had been previously determined so that the density of the solution, and thus the crystal, could be calculated.

SECTION B. CRYSTALLOGRAPHIC

1. Space Group Determination

A crystal, large enough to see but too small to tell its shape with the naked eye, was selected which appeared to be single and whole under microscopic examination. This crystal was affixed to a borosilicate glass fibre using glyptal cement. The fibre was in turn fixed securely to flexible copper wire attached to a goniometer head. The head was mounted on the goniometer to determine the elevation that would allow centering of the crystal in the diffractometer beam. This setting was subsequently not varied.

Weissenberg and oscillation photographs were obtained on a Charles Supper Co. Weissenberg camera. Both the Weissenberg and the precession camera (also made by the Charles Supper Co.) were operated using a fine focus molybdenum X-ray tube. This was powered at 40kV and 20 mA by a Picker Nuclear X-ray generator and control model number 809B. Ilford 'Industrial-G' film and Kodak 'No-Screen' film were used during the course of these investigations.

The Weissenberg geometry was such that 1 mm on the zero level photograph corresponds to 2° . The relationship between the film-measured spacing y_n and the

reciprocal cell constants for the precession camera is illustrated in Figure II-B-1 and by Equation II-B-1. The film-to-crystal distance for the zero level precession zones was 60.0 mm. The wavelength of the molybdenum radiation filtered with zirconium foil was taken as 0.71069\AA . The circle in Figure II-B-1 is a two-dimensional representation of the sphere of reflection through which a reciprocal lattice point must pass in order to ensure diffraction.

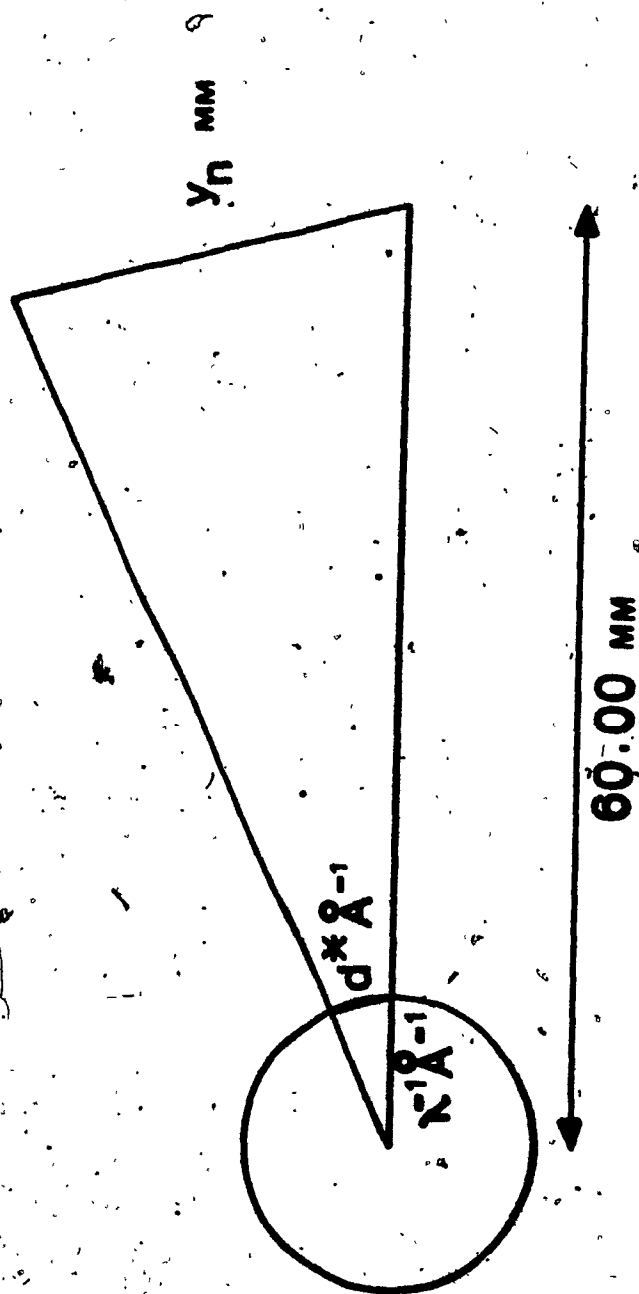
$$d^* = \frac{y_n}{60.0 \lambda} \quad \text{II-B-1}$$

2. Data Collection

A Picker Nuclear automated four-circle diffractometer operated by a P.D.P. 8/S dedicated mini-computer was used for data collection. A Picker Nuclear constant potential diffraction generator model number 6238E (stable to within 0.1% kV and 0.02% mA) provided the power (40 kV 18 mA) for a molybdenum X-ray tube. The takeoff angle was 3.0° for the direct beam and this was monochromated using the (002) face of a graphite monochromator 'crystal'.

The 0.71069\AA K_α radiation of molybdenum was passed through a 1 mm diameter pinhole collimator directed

Figure II-B-1. The relationship of reciprocal space and precession geometry.



at the sample crystal. The sample was situated 14.0 cm. from the point at which the X-rays were monochromated. Diffraction at the crystal took place in a plane perpendicular to that of monochromation. A receiving aperture whose size was determined by horizontal and vertical slits was located 23.0 cm from the crystal and 20 mm from a scintillation counter.

A series of three nickel foil attenuators on a rotating disc were located at the aperture. The detector was operated at about 1000 volts (5.60 helipot setting) and a pulse height analyzer was set to receive 100% of the X-ray intensity. A scan, using a 0.2keV window (upper level setting of 2.0 and 10% mode), of peak intensity versus baseline discriminator level was recorded from 10.0 keV to 0.6 keV. The differential pulse height distribution curve so obtained was used to establish the upper and lower level of discriminator voltage for 100% peak acceptance.

Weissenberg angles on the goniometer head were set and it was mounted on the diffractometer. A strong reflection was chosen from the zero level Weissenberg and its measured 2θ angle was set on the diffractometer. Values of ω , χ and ϕ were set to zero and ϕ was scanned until the reflection chosen was located. Scanning 2θ at this predetermined ϕ value confirmed the axial diffraction intensity pattern.

Another reflection was located on the zero level and these two reflections were centered using a P.D.P. 8/S computer alignment program supplied by the Picker Nuclear Co. For this process, the slits in the receiving collimator were partly shut to ensure higher accuracy. The crystal was systematically mis-set, first in 2θ and ω , and subsequently in χ and ω for the centered 2θ angle. Counting at each angular setting was for 10 second periods. Location of half intensity on both sides of the peak permitted the computation of the peak center. The two centered reflections were used in conjunction with the film-measured unit cell parameters to locate the third axis.

Twelve reflections were chosen in such a way that their intensities and their 2θ angles were sufficiently high and that their positions covered the surface of reciprocal lattice reflections evenly and completely. These were centered using the method described above. Accurate values of 2θ , ω , χ and ϕ were obtained at both $+2\theta$ and -2θ (for the hkl and $-h-k-l$ reflections, respectively) and the results were averaged.

The input parameters to the least squares refinement were the six approximate cell constants and ω , χ and ϕ for a primary and a secondary reflection (chosen such that their χ angles were close to 0° and their ϕ angles were separated by about 90°). Of these input parameters,

the following only were refined: the variable cell parameters, ω and χ of the primary reflection and χ of the secondary reflection. The estimated standard deviations of the cell parameters quoted were computed as a result of the least squares refinement. The refined ω and χ values of the primary and secondary reflections were used to compute an orientation matrix for the crystal which was then used for data collection.

The reflections comprising the three reciprocal unit cell axes were measured before data collection was started. Their intensities were compared to those measured after data collection to ensure the stability of the crystal and of the instrument. The θ - 2θ scanning method was used to record the integrated intensity of the reflections. The crystal was moved slowly (1° per minute) so that the reflection being measured passed through the sphere of reflection in its equatorial plane. The length of the scan, specified for low angle reflections, was determined. This varied according to the mosaicity of the crystal examined and the value of 2θ . At high values of $(\sin\theta)/\lambda$, the difference between α_1 and α_2 diffraction is more pronounced than at low angles. To allow for this α_1 - α_2 dispersion, a factor of 0.692 for Mo K_α radiation was used by the Picker Nuclear data collection program to compute the angular scan length for every reflection.

Beyond 10^4 cps, attenuators made of nickel foil and calibrated to factors of 2.781, 7.959 and 38.190 were automatically inserted in the aperture for the most intense reflections. To ensure that the crystal was not deteriorating or changing its position in relation to the orientation matrix during the collection of data, check reflections were measured at regular intervals. In most cases, three reflections (usually axial) were monitored. Most often these reflections varied in harmony and one was chosen to scale the data.

A maximum and a minimum 2θ value was specified. The limits of h , k and l determined the portion of the sphere to be collected. A routine was introduced into the program used for automated data collection to prevent the futile measurement of systematically absent reflections. The data were recorded on punch paper tape. These were transferred to magnetic tape with the use of the 2114A Hewlett Packard computer.

3. Data Reduction

All computing was accomplished on the Control Data Corporation (C.D.C.) 3300 computer for the tris(hexa-carbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine structure and on the C.D.C. 6400 computer for the other structures reported in this

Thesis. It was found that convergence of least squares refinements occurred somewhat more rapidly with the latter computer probably due to the 64 bit word as opposed to the 48 bit word of the C.D.C. 3300.

Data reduction was accomplished using a locally-written program called *PREP*. All the counts were brought to a common basis by applying the attenuator factors (where used) to the peak counts and the backgrounds. The intensity of the strongest selected check reflection was used to scale the data to a common standard for all reflections. The mean atomic scattering factors, at intervals of $(\sin\theta)/\lambda$ of 0.05\AA^{-1} , for all atoms were obtained from the computations of Ibers and others.^{28a,b} The program interpolates a form factor f_j for an atom j depending on the particular $(\sin\theta)/\lambda$ value of the reflection concerned.

The value of the reflection intensity I was computed according to Equation II-B-2. N is the peak count in the scan time t_s seconds, and B_1 and B_2 are the background counts on either side of the peak each measured for t_b seconds. If I was computed to be less than 0.0, the reflection was considered absent. The standard deviation of the intensity I was computed according to Equation II-B-3. If the intensity I was less than $3\sigma(I)$, the reflection was considered to be invalid based on counting error. Along with the absent reflections, these reflections were rejected and

used neither for structure solution nor refinement (except when normalized structure factors were calculated).

$$I = N - [B_1 + B_2] t_s / 2 t_b \quad \text{II-B-2}$$

$$\sigma(I) = \left[N + \frac{(B_1 + B_2)}{2} \left(\frac{t_s}{t_b} \right)^2 + (0.02N)^2 \right]^{1/2} \quad \text{II-B-3}$$

Computation of relative structure factors

F_{rel} (from the intensities I) depends upon X-ray polarization and Lorentz corrections. While it is true that F_{rel} is proportional to the square root of I , corrections must be made for the polarization of X-rays by the monochromator crystal. Corrections must also be made for the diffraction-angle-dependent velocity of a reciprocal lattice point passing through the sphere of reflection. This is termed the Lorentz correction. A combined term L_p which is specific to the diffractometer geometry used, is defined in Equation II-B-4 (where θ_s and θ_m are the diffraction angles at the sample crystal and the monochromator crystal respectively). The relative structure factor was thus computed by the program using Equation II-B-5. The rate of change of F_{rel} was obtained from the derivative of Equation II-B-5 and is called *sigma*. *Sigmas* were calculated for all the reflections accepted by the program.

$$L_p = \frac{(\cos^2 2\theta_m + \cos^2 2\theta_s)}{\sin 2\theta_s (\cos^2 2\theta_m + 1)} \quad \text{II-B-4}$$

$$|F_{\text{rel}}|_{hkl} = \left[\frac{I_{hkl}}{Lp} \right]^{1/2} \quad \text{II-B-5}$$

The program *PREP* also treats the reflection statistics to predict the absolute scale factor relating F_{abs} to F_{rel} and an approximate overall thermal parameter. Such information was obtained from the reciprocal of the slope and from the intercept, respectively, of the linear Equation II-B-6 which is derived from Equation II-B-7.

$\overline{I_{\text{rel}}}$ is the average F_{rel}^2 value and f_{oj} is the mean atomic scattering factor for the j^{th} atom. The thermal parameter B was thus derived from the slope of a plot of $\ln(\overline{F_{\text{rel}}}/\sum_{j=1}^N f_{\text{oj}}^2)$ versus $(\sin^2 \theta)/\lambda^2$. Such a plot is called a Wilson plot. ²⁹ The constant C was used in Equation II-B-8 to scale the relative structure factors to an absolute scale.

$$\ln \left[\frac{\overline{I_{\text{rel}}}}{\sum_{j=1}^N f_{\text{oj}}^2} \right] = \ln C - 2B(\sin^2 \theta)/\lambda^2 \quad \text{II-B-6}$$

$$\overline{I_{\text{abs}}} = \sum_{j=1}^N f_{\text{oj}}^2 e^{-2B(\sin^2 \theta)/\lambda^2} \quad \text{II-B-7}$$

$$|F_{\text{abs}}| = \frac{|F_{\text{rel}}|}{\sqrt{C}} \quad \text{II-B-8}$$

4. Phase Solution

a) The Direct Method

The direct method has been used with success for two structures reported in this Thesis and thus the three programs *NORMA*, *REL* and *RELPOR* are described herein. The subject has been adequately discussed ³⁰⁻³⁴ since the appearance of original papers by Sayre ³⁵ and Hauptmann and Karle. ³⁶

The program *NORMA* treats the structure factors F_{hkl} from *PREP* according to Equation II-B-9. The normalized structure factors E_{hkl} ³⁷ were so obtained. The term ϵ is an integer (usually 1) which is used to adjust for the degeneracy of the structure factors for reflections in symmetrical locations of reciprocal space. N is the total number of atoms in the cell and f_j is the atomic scattering factor for the j^{th} atom at the 2θ value for the hkl reflection involved. The E values were normalized such that the average E^2 was 1. For this reason, reflections which were considered absent or statistically not significant were included.

$$E_{hkl} = \sqrt{\frac{|F_{hkl}|^2}{\sum_{j=1}^N f_j^2}}$$

II-B-9

NORMA gives a summary of the number of E_{hkl} greater than 1.0, 2.0 and 3.0, respectively. Sayre's equation (II-B-10) states that the sign and magnitude of a reflection hkl is equal to the scaled (ϕ_{hkl}) sum of the products of all the pairs of structure factors whose indices add to give hkl . The two reflections and their sum constitute a triple. There are thus many such triples which must all be determined before Sayre's equation can be applied.

$$F_{hkl} = \phi_{hkl} \sum_{h'} \sum_{k'} \sum_{l'} \left[F_{h'k'l'} \cdot F_{h-h', k-k', l-l'} \right] \quad \text{II-B-10}$$

The program REL computes all the triples for NR reflections with normalized structure factors (E_{hkl}) greater than a minimum value. Up to three seminvariant reflections (all of which must not possess even-even-even parity nor certain space group-dependent combinations of parities) were chosen from the NR reflections. Their E_{hkl} 's were given signs arbitrarily which subsequently remained fixed. These signed reflections define the origin.

N more reflections were chosen which must also not have all even parity. These reflections plus the seminvariants constitute the starting set. The starting set was chosen from the list of NR reflections according to a specific sorting order. The N reflections were given

a sign for their E_{hkl} . Since all M reflections can be either positive or negative, there were thus 2^M combinations possible. The starting set was thus treated 2^M times by application of Equation II-B-11.

$$s(E_{hkl}) \sim s \left[\sum_{h'} \sum_{k'} \sum_{l'} E_{h'k'l'} \cdot E_{h-h' \ k-k' \ l-l'} \right] \text{ II-B-11}$$

This abridged version of Sayre's equation states that the sign of the reflection hkl has a high probability (provided all three reflections are strong) of being determined by the product of the signs of reflections $h'k'l'$ and $h-h' \ k-k' \ l-l'$. A sorting order was specified such that Equation II-B-11 was applied to the starting set of reflections and the strongest ranking reflections first. The program expanded the set of phases which it either retained or discarded depending on their agreement with previously-determined phases. As more and more signs became determined, more terms entered into the summation and the requirement for higher intensity reflections lessened. The starting set, within any one of the 2^M tries, was not allowed to change.

The parameter $NBACK$ determined the way the signs were treated. If $NBACK$ was set equal to 0, as soon as a new sign was determined the reflections whose signs had

not been determined earlier were re-examined in the first cycle. In subsequent cycles, the moment a new sign was determined it was used to determine new signs down the list until there were no more changes. If *NBACK* was set equal to 1, the new signs determined were not used to determine further signs until the first of the cycles was finished.

There is a formula (II-B-12) which assigns a probability *P* to the event that a sign has been correctly determined. This probability depends upon the magnitude of the normalized structure factors as well as the value *PROB1* which is approximately equal to $N^{-1/2}$ (where *N* is the number of atoms in the unit cell). *PROB1* is a minimum value for this aforementioned *P* below which the newly-determined sign will not be used in further phasing. *PROB2* is the minimum value of *P* for a phase to be considered determined in the output.

$$P = 0.5 + 0.5 \tanh \left[\frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \left(|E_{hkl} \cdot E_{h'k'l'} \cdot E_{h-h', k-k', l-l'}| \right) \right]$$

II-B-12

The output from *REL* summarizes the phasing information for the treatment of *NR* reflections 2^N times. A table is printed which shows the number of cycles used for a run, the numbers of positive and negative reflections

in the set and the consistency index C . This ratio is defined by Equation II-B-13 where $\langle \rangle$ means 'averaged over all hkl '.

$$C = \frac{\langle |E_{hkl}| \cdot \sum_{h',k',l'} \sum_{h'',k'',l''} E_{h',k',l'} \cdot E_{h-h'', k-k'', l-l''} \rangle}{\langle |E_{hkl}| \cdot \sum_{h',k',l'} |E_{h',k',l'}| \cdot |E_{h-h', k-k', l-l'}| \rangle}$$

In choosing the correct solution care was exercised to give high weight to the solutions which gave the highest consistency index, the minimum number of cycles and an equal number of pluses and minuses. The signs of the starting set should not have been predicted to be different from their starting signs during the iteration procedure for the true solution.

The output from REL for each set includes phased reflections. The program RELFOR prepares a Fourier input tape for the chosen set.

b) The Fourier

The structure factor F_{hkl} can be defined as the resultant of the X-rays scattered in the direction by the j atoms in the unit cell. The amplitude of the structure factor is determined both by the scattering factors

for the individual atoms and by the phase δ . The phase is determined by the fractional co-ordinates of the atoms contributing to the reflection, the unit phase difference being 2π (Equation II-B-14). The magnitude of the structure factor is thus given by Equation II-B-15 where A_{hkl} and B_{hkl} are given in Equations II-B-16 and II-B-17, respectively.

$$\delta = 2\pi(hx + ky + lz) \quad \text{II-B-14}$$

$$|F_{hkl}| = \sqrt{A_{hkl}^2 + B_{hkl}^2} \quad \text{II-B-15}$$

$$A_{hkl} = \sum_j f_j \cos 2\pi(hx_j + ky_j + lz_j) \quad \text{II-B-16}$$

$$B_{hkl} = \sum_j f_j \sin 2\pi(hx_j + ky_j + lz_j) \quad \text{II-B-17}$$

Expressed in exponential form, the structure factor is given by Equation II-B-18 whereas the electron density $\rho(x, y, z)$ is expressed by Equation II-B-19.

$$F_{hkl} = \sum_j f_j e^{2\pi i(hx_j + ky_j + lz_j)} \quad \text{II-B-18}$$

$$\rho(x, y, z) = \frac{1}{V} \sum_h \sum_k \sum_l F_{hkl} e^{-2\pi i(hx + ky + lz)} \quad \text{II-B-19}$$

The coefficients F_{hkl} in the series shown in Equation II-B-19 constitute not only the magnitudes computed by PREP on the observed data but also have unobservable phases. F_{hkl} is actually a complex number which is the sum of A_{hkl} (Equation II-B-16) and iB_{hkl} (Equation II-B-17). For a centrosymmetric case, the term B_{hkl} is zero and the signed structure factor becomes simply A_{hkl} . Since this Thesis involves only centrosymmetric space groups, we shall restrict the discussion to this case.

Once a sufficient number of phases were assigned by direct or indirect methods, a Fourier summation was computed based on the magnitude of the observed structure factors and the predicted signs. The Fourier program FORDAP⁴¹ first expanded the data set to a triclinic from the higher symmetry it might have possessed. The electron density $\rho(x, y, z)$ was computed from a trigonometric expansion of Equation II-B-19 where the coefficients of the Fourier series are known. Limits of x , y and z were set (usually to encompass an asymmetric unit only) and intervals were chosen to ensure a specific and sufficient resolution in angströms. The electron density was then calculated at each point in the cell and this was printed out as an integer value normalized to 999 as the largest sum.

The program FORDAP was also used to calculate a Patterson function.⁴² For a Patterson, the coefficients

used in the Fourier summation were the squares of the observed structure factors. There were thus no phases involved. *FORDAP* here again normalized the output to 999 as the largest vector sum. The function transformed is given in Equation II-B-20.

$$P(x,y,z) = \frac{1}{V} \sum_h \sum_k \sum_l |F_{hkl}|^2 \cos 2\pi(hx + ky + lz)$$

II-B-20

The peaks $P(x,y,z)$ in a Patterson synthesis correspond to interatomic vectors. This information was used⁴³ to solve for the positions of the heavy atoms in the cell. The largest peak (999) was observed to be at the origin. There should be $N^2 - N$ vectors not on the origin (where N is the number of atoms in the cell). There was considerable overlap of peaks due to the diffuse character of the atoms in space. This was minimized by the so-called 'sharpened Patterson function'. Here, the scattering power of the atom is corrected for thermal motion and for its dependence on $(\sin\theta)/\lambda$. The squares of the sharpened structure factors, calculated from the squares of their observed counterparts using Equation II-B-21, were used.⁴⁴ B is the overall thermal parameter predicted by *PRRP* and f_{0j} is the mean atomic scattering factor for the j^{th} atom. These squared structure factors were used in the Patterson

synthesis according to Equation II-B-20:

$$(F_{\text{sharp}})_{hkl}^2 = \frac{[0.1667 + (\sin^2 \theta)/\lambda^2] [F_{\text{obs}}]_{hkl}^2}{\left[\sum_{j=1}^N f_{oj}\right]^2 e^{-B(\sin^2 \theta)/\lambda^2}}$$

II-B-21

The intensity of a Patterson peak resulting from the vector between two atoms of atomic numbers Z_1 and Z_2 was 999 times the ratio $Z_1 Z_2 / \sum_{j=1}^N Z_j$ where N is the number of atoms in the unit cell.

Another useful function of *FORDAP* was the synthesis of a difference Fourier. Here the coefficients of the Fourier series are simply the quantities $(F_{\text{obs}} - F_{\text{cal}})$. F_{cal} represents the calculated structure factors based on some predetermined model. The difference Fourier is equivalent to an observed synthesis using the signs of F_{cal} and the magnitude of F_{obs} minus a calculated synthesis using the signs and the magnitudes of F_{cal} . The options of *FORDAP* included the possibility of introducing an artificial map maximum (*RMAX*) which could be made to correspond to a previous difference synthesis. The electron density of a difference Fourier is in units of $\text{\AA}e\text{\AA}^{-3}$.

5. Least Squares Refinement

The positions found for the atoms by either the heavy atom method or the direct method were used to create a model of the contents of the unit cell. The accuracy of this model was ascertained by calculating structure factors F_{hkl} based on this model and comparing them to those observed. The F_{hkl} are functions not only of the variables x , y and z but also of the isotropic or anisotropic thermal parameters. These last parameters correct the model for the vibration of atoms in space due to thermal motion.

In the isotropic case the vibration is spherical and B , the isothermal parameter, is related to the mean square amplitude of vibration μ^2 by the equation $B = 8\pi^2\mu^2$. In the more elegant extreme, 6 anisotropic thermal parameters can be assigned to each atom, which is now assumed to vibrate preferentially in certain directions. The expression for the anisotropic temperature factor involves the unit cell parameters and is related to the geometric description of an ellipsoid, thus the expression 'thermal ellipsoid'. An alternate description of the anisotropic factor was used in computation and does not reflect the interrelationship of the true anisotropic parameters. The anisotropic structure factor was thus defined by Equation II-B-22.

$$F_{hkl} = \sum_j f_j \exp[2\pi i(hx_j + ky_j + lz_j)] \exp\left[-(h^2 B_{11} + k^2 B_{22} + l^2 B_{33} + 2hkB_{12} + 2hkB_{13} + 2kLB_{23})\right]$$

The observed structure factors are known quantities and the calculated structure factors represent the model sought. Corrections must be made to the atomic scattering factors in the model in order to compensate for the fact that the electrons are not free in the molecules but are bound. The free electron scattering factor f_0 must be corrected by a real ($\Delta f'$) and an imaginary ($i\Delta f''$) dispersion correction.

The function which was minimized in the least squares analysis⁴⁵ is represented in Equation II-B-23 where w_{hkl} is the weight of an observation and is equal to the reciprocal of σ^2 . σ has the value calculated in PREP and k is the scale factor which is applied to F_{cal} .

$$D = \sum_{hkl} w_{hkl} \left[|F_{obs}| - |kF_{cal}| \right]^2 \quad \text{II-B-23}$$

The derivative of the expression with respect to each parameter was set to zero. The normal equations were expanded by a Taylor series expansion, neglecting terms higher than first power. The equations were solved in their array form by the program according to the matrix Equation II-B-24 where p_i is the i^{th} parameter. The inverse of matrix A was used in the form $x = A^{-1}v$. The x 's

are the shifts in the refined parameters which were added to the p_i 's to obtain new parameters.

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & \dots & \dots & a_{nn} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ \vdots \\ v_n \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{II-B-24}$$

$$a_{ij} = \sum_{hkl} w_{hkl} \frac{\partial |F_{\text{cal}}|_{hkl}}{\partial p_i} \cdot \frac{\partial |F_{\text{cal}}|_{hkl}}{\partial p_j} \quad \text{II-B-25}$$

$$x_i = \Delta p_i \quad \text{II-B-26}$$

$$v_i = \sum_{hkl} w_{hkl} (\Delta F_{hkl}) \cdot \frac{\partial |F_{\text{cal}}|_{hkl}}{\partial p_i} \quad \text{II-B-27}$$

The modified version of *SFLS-6* used was a 'full-matrix' least squares program with the option of separating the matrix into several matrices (up to 9 in number). For the calculation of structure factors, the program does not expand the number of atoms in the asymmetric unit to the number in the unit cell. Rather it expands the

indices using the input transformation matrices for the unit cell symmetry.

The estimated standard deviation of parameter p_i (σ_{pi}) was calculated from Equation II-B-28 where b_{ii} is the i^{th} diagonal element of the inverse matrix A^{-1} , w_{hkl} is the weight (σ^{-1}) of the hkl structure factor difference ΔF_{hkl} ($|F_{\text{obs}}|_{hkl} - |F_{\text{cal}}|_{hkl}$), m is the number of observations and n is the number of parameters. The 'goodness of fit' parameter is defined by Equation II-B-29. It differs from II-B-28 in that it does not involve the diagonal element of the inverse matrix.

$$\sigma_{pi} = \sqrt{b_{ii} \left[\sum_{hkl} w_{hkl} \Delta F_{hkl}^2 \right] / (m-n)} \quad \text{II-B-28}$$

$$\sqrt{\left[\sum_{hkl} w_{hkl} \Delta F_{hkl}^2 \right] / (m-n)} \quad \text{II-B-29}$$

The discrepancy indices (residual or reliability factors) quoted are computed using Equations II-B-30 and II-B-31.

$$R = \frac{\sum_{hkl} ||F_{\text{obs}}|_{hkl} - |F_{\text{cal}}|_{hkl}|}{\sum_{hkl} |F_{\text{obs}}|_{hkl}} \quad \text{II-B-30}$$

$$R_w = \left(\frac{\sum_{hkl} w_{hkl} \left[|F_{obs}|_{hkl} - |F_{cal}|_{hkl} \right]^2}{\sum_{hkl} w_{hkl} \left[|F_{obs}|_{hkl} \right]^2} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \quad \text{II-B-31}$$

The program *NUCLS4*⁴⁶ refines certain parts of a molecule as if it were a rigid body. Fewer parameters are thus needed in the refinement to achieve approximately the same result. For example, the 240 parameters necessary to refine isotropically the ten phenyl groups of di-μ-(bis-(diphenylarsino)methane)-μ-diphenylacetylenedicarbonyl-dicobalt(0) were reduced to 120 in the rigid body program. For a rigid phenyl group, *NUCLS4* uses three co-ordinate parameters, three orientation parameters for each group, and an isotropic parameter for each atom in the group.

For structure factor calculations the rigid group contributions are summed separately from non-rigid atomic contributions. The rigid group is summed as the contributions of its individual atoms. The least squares process is essentially similar to that in *SPLS-5* except that separation of matrices is not possible.

6. Interpretive Programs

*UTILITY*⁴⁷ was used to compute the various

geometric consequences of the determined positional parameters. Thermal ellipsoids were analyzed also. The program first converted the positional fractional co-ordinates to orthogonalized co-ordinates and the bond lengths, angles etc. were computed using standard techniques.⁴⁸ The standard deviation of a bond length σ_l was computed using Equation II-B-32 where σ_{x_1} and σ_{x_2} are the estimated standard deviations in the x parameters of atoms 1 and 2 respectively and l is the bond length.

$$\sigma_l = \sqrt{(\sigma_{x_1}^2 + \sigma_{x_2}^2) \left(\frac{\Delta x}{l}\right)^2 + (\sigma_{y_1}^2 + \sigma_{y_2}^2) \left(\frac{\Delta y}{l}\right)^2 + (\sigma_{z_1}^2 + \sigma_{z_2}^2) \left(\frac{\Delta z}{l}\right)^2}$$

II-B-32

The program DRAFT⁴⁹ prepares a plot of the molecule in 'ball-and-stick' form or with the other molecules in the unit cell (packing diagram). 'OTLIPS prepares a plot of the thermal ellipsoids of the molecule. Both programs generate a series of instructions which are applied by the Hewlett Packard 2114A computer to a Complot X-Y plotter.

CHAPTER III. THE CRYSTAL AND MOLECULAR STRUCTURE OF
TRIS (HEXACARBONYLDICOBALT- π -ETHYNYL) ARSINE.

SECTION A. INTRODUCTION

1. Transition Metal Complexes with Group VB Donor Atoms

Considerable interest has been shown in recent years in the transition metal complexes of phosphines and arsines. An excellent review by Booth⁵⁰ covers the field to 1964. Research published in this area during the last ten years has been reviewed by Robinson⁵¹ and others⁵²⁻⁵⁴. The monodentate tertiary phosphine and arsine derivatives of cobalt carbonyls are of immediate interest. Usually the phosphine or arsine is found to substitute for a carbonyl, bonding to the metal in a fashion similar to the leaving group. The phosphorus or arsenic atom acts as a σ donor and a π acceptor. This second feature is particularly strong in PF_3 and thus complexes containing this ligand are very similar to the carbonyl complexes from which they are derived.

Normally, only one carbonyl per metal atom can be substituted without disintegration of the metal cluster. It appears that clusters containing bridging

carbonyl ligands retain these carbonyl bridges⁵⁵ when substitution occurs. Dicobaltoctacarbonyl is an exception to this generalization. Bis((tri-n-butylphosphine)tri-carbonylcobalt) has been shown by X-ray structure analysis to have a non-bridged configuration with a linear P-Co-Co-P skeleton.⁵⁶ This skeleton forms a three-fold axis and there exists a crystallographic center of symmetry between the two cobalt atoms. The Co-Co bond length is 2.665(14) Å and the Co-P distance is 2.178(15) Å.

2. π Bonded Acetylenic Cobalt Carbonyls

Many reviews have been published on π bonded olefinic and acetylenic derivatives of transition metal carbonyls.^{4,57-63} For the purposes of this Thesis, it was considered appropriate to survey the complexes of acetylenic cobalt carbonyls that have been reported with special emphasis on their structure and bonding.

The first report of an acetylenic dicobalt-hexacarbonyl occurred in 1954⁶⁴ with the publication of a note by Sternberg et al. It was discovered that the two bridging carbonyls in dicobaltoctacarbonyl ($\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$) could be replaced by an acetylenic moiety ($\text{R}-\text{C}\equiv\text{C}-\text{R}'$). The reaction was quantitative with the observed loss of 2 moles of carbon monoxide. The substituents on the

acetylene in the complexes prepared were phenyl, C_5H_{11} , C_2H_5 , CH_2OH and hydrogen. All compounds were deeply coloured crystalline solids with the exception of $Co_2(CO)_6(HC\equiv CH)$ which was a dark red oil. A brief discussion of the possible geometries of the complex concluded that it was reasonable to assume the C-C bond was parallel to the Co-Co bond. Allowance was also made for the possibility that the C-C bond was perpendicular to the Co-Co bond, but not in the same plane. A complete paper, published subsequently, reaffirmed these conclusions.⁶⁵ It was stated that X-ray analysis would be necessary to settle this question.

An initial study of the kinetics of the acetylene-dicobaltoctacarbonyl reaction was undertaken.⁶⁶ From a mathematical analysis of the kinetic data of the reaction of dicobaltoctacarbonyl with hex-1-yne and hex-2-yne, a reaction mechanism was proposed. It was concluded that in solution, $Co_2(CO)_8$ is in equilibrium with a reactive species which is less stable than itself. This reactive species was postulated as being one in which the cobalt-cobalt bond was broken homogeneously. The acetylene then was claimed to substitute for one carbonyl giving an acetylene ditobaltheptacarbonyl intermediate which subsequently decomposed to the acetylene dicobalthexacarbonyl complex.

The same authors also reported ⁶⁷ a study of the relative reaction rates of formation of a series of substituted acetylene dicobalthexacarbonyl complexes. The amount of carbon monoxide liberated was recorded as a function of time and the half-life of the reaction was used as a basis for comparison. The authors found that no clear correlation existed between steric or electronic factors and reaction rate. If any factor was significant, it was steric rather than electronic. The reaction rates were not appreciably different at the outset.

Recently, Ellgen ⁶⁸ has disproved the reaction mechanism proposed earlier for the formation of these compounds. The existence of a reactive form is not implied by a parallel study on the formation of tetracobaltdodecacarbonyl from $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$. By extrapolation, the authors show (with newly-collected data) that a mechanism involving the dissociation of $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$ to $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_7$ with subsequent attack by acetylene and liberation of another mole of CO is more likely. The rate-determining step is the first one which explains why the relative rate study was so unsuccessful.

Extensive studies of the infrared spectrum of these compounds have been undertaken. The first such study was that of G. Bor. ⁶⁹ Here, only a cursory analysis of the spectrum was given. The appearance of five

terminal stretching carbonyl bands confirmed the structure as consisting of mutually perpendicular C-C and Co-Co bonds in different planes. Recently, more thorough analyses, coupled with nuclear magnetic resonance (nmr) data, have permitted a considerable fund of knowledge to be accumulated on the nature of the bonding in these complexes. Iwashita *et al.* published a paper ⁷⁰ in which they assigned the infrared absorption bands for $(\text{HC}\equiv\text{CH})\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$ unequivocally using isotopically-labelled molecules. The terminal C-O stretching vibrations were recorded as 2097.8, 2058.5, 2033.7, 2028.1 and 2016.6 cm^{-1} . The frequency of the $\text{C}\equiv\text{C}$ stretching vibration was found to be 1402.5 cm^{-1} as compared to 1973.8 cm^{-1} ⁷¹ for pure acetylene. There is obviously a large change in the acetylenic bond upon complexation and this is ascribed to a change from a linear bent to a *cis*-bent configuration. A parallel was found in the infrared spectrum of the first electronically-excited state of acetylene ⁷² which is *trans*-bent. For steric reasons, a *cis*-bent structure was preferred for the complexed acetylene. A normal co-ordinate analysis on the $(\text{HC}\equiv\text{CH})\text{Co}_2$ portion of $(\text{HC}\equiv\text{CH})\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$ ⁷³ has shown this to be the most likely possibility. Bond formation has the effect of taking the electron from the highest bonding π orbital of the ligand to the lowest π^* orbital.

The hybridization of the acetylenic carbons from sp to approximately sp^2 upon complexation is shown

by the nmr studies of Iwashita.⁷⁴ These studies were conducted on the methylacetylene and dimethylacetylene derivatives. Mass spectrometric analysis⁷⁵ of $(CF_3C\equiv CH)Co_2(CO)_6$ shows that the complex loses the six carbonyls to give $(CF_3C\equiv CH)Co_2^+$ which then progressively loses portions of the acetylenic moiety. A full fragmentation scheme is proposed. Another paper⁷⁶ showed that the formation of the diphenylacetylenedicobalthexacarbonyl complex is electrochemically irreversible.

In 1959, W.G. Sly⁷⁷ published preliminary results of an X-ray crystal structure analysis of the complex diphenylacetylenehexacarbonyldicobalt. The monoclinic crystal (Cc) gave 970 reflections and isotropic refinement was effected to a reliability index of 16%. Co-ordination about each cobalt atom was observed to be six-fold giving rise to a distorted octahedral configuration. The molecule is illustrated in Figure III-A-1 and the numbering scheme shown is that used in Table III-A-1 which gives the bond lengths and angles for the structure. It will be noted that the C-C distance was first quoted as 1.46Å but this was subsequently changed to 1.369Å with further refinement.⁷⁸

The Co-Co bond makes an angle of 88° with the C-C bond of the acetylene. This is, by modern standards, a very inaccurate structure and, for purposes of comparison,

Figure III-A-1. The molecular configuration of μ -(diphenyl-acetylene)hexacarbonyldicobalt.

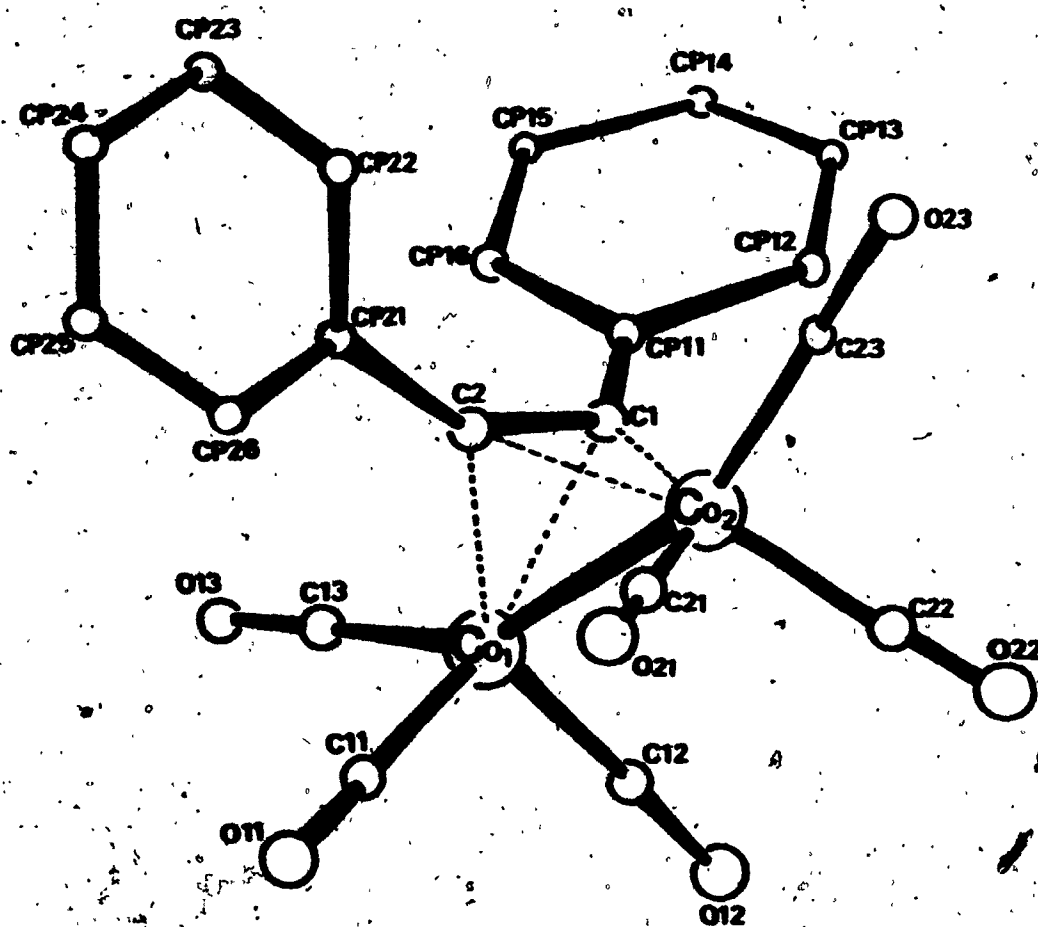


TABLE III-A-1

BOND LENGTHS (Å) AND SOME IMPORTANT BOND ANGLES (°) IN THE
COMPLEX μ -(DIPHENYLACETYLENE) HEXACARBONYLDICOBALT

Co1 - Co2 :	2.47	C1 - C2 :	1.46/1.369
Co1 - C1 :	2.02	Co2 - C2 :	1.93
Co1 - C2 :	2.01	Co2 - C1 :	1.89
Co1 - C11 :	1.79	Co2 - C21 :	1.71
Co1 - C12 :	1.76	Co2 - C22 :	1.80
Co1 - C13 :	1.71	Co2 - C23 :	1.72
C11 - O11 :	1.21	C21 - O21 :	1.22
C12 - O12 :	1.23	C22 - O22 :	1.22
C13 - O13 :	1.25	C23 - O23 :	1.26
C1 - CP11 :	1.43	C2 - CP21 :	1.42
CP11 - CP12 :	1.48	CP21 - CP22 :	1.40
CP12 - CP13 :	1.49	CP22 - CP23 :	1.43
CP13 - CP14 :	1.32	CP23 - CP24 :	1.41
CP14 - CP15 :	1.37	CP24 - CP25 :	1.38
CP15 - CP16 :	1.54	CP25 - CP26 :	1.46
CP16 - CP11 :	1.42	CP26 - CP21 :	1.45
Co1 - C2 - Co2 :	77	Co1 - C1 - Co2 :	78
C1 - Co1 - C2 :	43	C1 - Co2 - C2 :	45
Co2 - Co1 - C11 :	103	Co1 - Co2 - C21 :	100
Co2 - Co1 - C12 :	99	Co1 - Co2 - C22 :	96
C2 - Co1 - C13 :	104	C2 - Co2 - C23 :	103
C1 - Co1 - C13 :	100	C1 - Co2 - C23 :	95
CP21 - C2 - C1 :	137	CP11 - C1 - C2 :	139

the results must be approached with considerable skepticism. Indeed, if the six bond lengths in one phenyl ring can vary from 1.32 to 1.54 Å, what confidence can be shown for the rest of the bond distances and angles quoted? It is regrettable that Sly never completed his work on this complex.

The structure can safely be evaluated from two geometric points of view. First, the cobalt atom can be considered to be approximately in the d^2sp^3 hybridized state and thus the acetylenic carbons would be approximately tetrahedral (sp^3). This is not compatible with a C-C distance of 1.369 Å for the acetylenic bond. The second possibility is that each cobalt atom is trigonal bipyramidal (dsp^3) and one of the hybrid orbitals is directed towards the center of the acetylene C-C bond.

The bonding of acetylene to the dicobalt-hexacarbonyl fragment is similar to the bonding of olefins discussed in the early 1950's by Dewar⁷⁹ and Chatt and Duncanson.⁸⁰ A σ -type bond is formed between the filled π bonding molecular orbital of acetylene and an empty metal hybrid orbital. At the same time, a π type of bond is also formed between the filled $d\pi$ type orbital of the metal and the empty π^* orbital of acetylene. This synergistic bonding scheme is similar in concept to

that proposed for the bonding of carbonyls and phosphines.

Brown ⁷⁸ has studied the metal-metal bonding in μ -(diphenylacetylene)hexacarbonyldicobalt by applying 'simple' molecular orbital theory to the complex in its trigonal bipyramidal hybridized state. The metal-metal bond occurs by direct overlap of the 4p orbitals of the cobalt atoms. Blizzard and Santry ⁸¹ have reported a study of a model in which the principal consideration has been interactions within an isolated acetylene molecule. Addition of electron density to the π^* orbital of acetylene would lead to a *cis*- or *trans*-bent structure with *cis*-bent being slightly preferred. *Trans*-bending was also shown to lead to a weakening of the metal-acetylene bond whereas *cis*-bending did not affect this bond. R. Mason has recently reviewed the currently accepted bonding theories of acetylenic-dicobalthexacarbonyl complexes. ⁸²

A vast series of substituted acetylenic hexacarbonyldicobalt complexes have been synthesized to date. The preparation and some chemical reactions of ditertiarybutylacetylenehexacarbonyldicobalt have been reported. ⁸³ A series of trifluoromethyl and perfluorophenyl substituted acetylenes have also been prepared and studied. ⁸⁴⁻⁹² Also prepared was the dicyanoacetylene complex ⁹³ as well as a series of complexes of alcoholic acetylenes ⁹⁴⁻⁹⁷ and carboxylic acid acetylenes. ⁹⁸

Many unusual complexes have also been reported. Typical of these are the diferrocenylacetylenehexacarbonyldicobalt⁹⁹ and the tri(phosphonitrilicfluoride)phenylacetylene-hexacarbonyldicobalt¹⁰⁰ complexes. Some bis-complexes of diacetylenes have also been synthesized¹⁰¹⁻¹⁰² as well as a complex $R_2M(C\equiv CR' \cdot Co_2(CO)_6)_2$ where R is silicon, germanium or tin.¹⁰³

Hexacarbonyldicobalt fragments have been used as effective blocking groups. Complexation of selective acetylenic linkages with $Co_2(CO)_6$ has allowed other similar bonds of the same organic molecule to be preferentially treated.¹⁰⁴ Friedel-Crafts alkylation of the rings in free diphenylacetylene is impossible under normal circumstances. However, when the acetylene moiety is complexed to a $Co_2(CO)_6$ unit, the alkylation reaction is possible due to the activation of sites para- to the substituted acetylene position towards electrophilic substitution.¹⁰⁵ The alkylated diphenylacetylene can subsequently be removed from the cobalt carbonyl fragment.

The study of substitution reactions of acetylenic dicobalthexacarbonyls has been undertaken in this laboratory to determine the degree of substitution possible and the effect of such substitution on the acetylenic moiety. Other researchers have been involved in the same problem.¹⁰⁶⁻¹⁰⁷

Complexes containing the $\text{Co}_3(\text{CO})_9\text{C}$ fragment have been extensively studied by Penfold.¹⁰⁸ Some of these structures contain an acetylenic linkage which has been complexed with a $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$ unit. X-ray crystallographic studies of two such complexes affords a greater insight into the nature of this type of bonding.

The reaction of chloromethynyleneacarbonyltricobalt ($\text{ClCCo}_3(\text{CO})_9$) with mesitylene¹⁰⁹ has given a number of side products including a complex formulated as $\text{Co}_5(\text{CO})_{15}\text{C}_3\text{H}$. An X-ray crystallographic structure analysis of this complex was undertaken by Dellaca *et al.*¹¹⁰ The complex consists of a $\text{Co}_3(\text{CO})_9\text{C}$ tetrahedron linked, through the methynyl carbon atom, to an acetylenic moiety. The acetylene is bonded to a $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$ fragment, whence the interest in this structure in this Introduction. The compound crystallizes in space group $\text{P}\bar{1}$ and refinement based on 1392 reflections gave an isotropic discrepancy factor of 6.7%. Using the numbering scheme given in Figure III-A-1 for the acetylenic- $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$ part of the molecule (ring 1 of the $(\text{PhC}\equiv\text{CPh})\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$ complex is replaced by a hydrogen whereas ring 2 is substituted for the methynyleneacarbonyltricobalt moiety), the bond distances and angles are given in Table III-A-2.

Another similar structure is that of hexacarbontetracosacarbonyloctacobalt ($\text{Co}_8(\text{CO})_{24}\text{C}_6$). In this

TABLE III-A-2

BOND LENGTHS (\AA) AND SOME IMPORTANT BOND ANGLES ($^{\circ}$) FOR THE ACETYLENIC - $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$ MOIETY IN TRICARBONPENTADECACARBONYLPENTACOBALT AND IN HEXACARBONTETRACOSACARBONYLOCTACOBALT.

Distance or angle	Tricarbontpentadeca- carbonylpentacobalt	Hexacarbontetracosa- carbonyloctacobalt	
		Seyferth ¹¹¹	Dellaca ¹¹²
Co1-Co2	2.447(4)	2.469(6)	2.461(8)
C1 -C2	1.34(2)	1.37(4)	1.37(3)
Co1-C1	1.95(1)	1.99(3)	1.96(3)
Co2-C2	1.94(2)	2.02(3)	1.95(3)
Co1-C2	1.99(2)	2.01(3)	1.97(3)
Co2-C1	2.01(2)	1.96(3)	1.95(3)
Co1-C11	1.81(2)	1.79(4)	1.76(4)
Co1-C12	1.77(2)	1.88(4)	1.75(5)
Co1-C13	1.75(2)	1.84(4)	1.72(4)
Co2-C21	1.80(2)	1.74(4)	1.75(4)
Co2-C22	1.78(2)	2.00(5)	1.80(4)
Co2-C23	1.75(2)	1.77(3)	1.77(4)
C-O(carbonyl)	1.17(2)	1.15(5)	1.16(3)
Co1-C2 -Co2	76.5(5)	75(1)	78(1)
Co1-C1 -Co2	79.2(6)	77(1)	78(1)
C1 -Co1-C2	39.9(6)	40(1)	41(1)
C1 -Co2-C2	39.7(6)	40(1)	41(1)
Co2-Co1-C11	102.8(6)	98(1)	101(1)
Co1-Co2-C21	101.6(5)	96(2)	101(1)
Co2-Co1-C12	98.1(6)	101(1)	100(1)
Co1-Co2-C22	97.8(7)	101(2)	97(1)
Co2-Co1-C13	147.6(6)	151(1)	148(1)
Co1-Co2-C23	148.1(7)	150(2)	149(1)
C2 -Co1-C13	102.6(8)	101(2)	101(1)
C2 -Co2-C23	103.6(8)	100(1)	104(1)
C1 -Co1-C13	97.5(8)	103(2)	99(1)

TABLE III-A-2 (CONT'D)

C1 -Co2-C23	97.8(8)	101(2)	98(1)
C1 -C2 -(CP21)	145.6(14)	140(3)	138(2)
C2 -C1 -(CP11)	-----	148(3)	142(2)

complex, two methynyleneacarbonyltricobalt fragments are linked by a four carbon skeleton containing two acetylenic bonds. One of these acetylenic bonds is co-ordinated to a $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$ unit whereas the other is uncomplexed. This structure is unique in that the bond distances for both co-ordinated (1.367(42) Å) and non-co-ordinated (1.199(43) Å) acetylene can be compared directly. The X-ray crystallographic structure determination of the benzene hemisolvate was published by Seyferth *et al.*¹¹¹ Subsequently, the unsolvated structure was reported by Dellaca and Penfold.¹¹² Bond lengths and angles of the acetylenic hexacarbonyldicobalt unit are given in Table III-A-2 for both independent structure determinations. The numbering scheme used is again as in Figure III-A-1 except that the $-\text{C}\equiv\text{C}-\text{CCo}_3(\text{CO})_9$ unit replaces ring 1 and ring 2 is again replaced by methynyleneacarbonyltricobalt.

The compound octafluorocyclohexa-1,3-diene was reported¹¹³ to react with dicobaltoctacarbonyl to form a compound with stoichiometry $\text{C}_6\text{F}_6\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$. A preliminary report¹¹⁴ of the X-ray crystallographic structure determination showed that the C_6F_6 unit (perfluorocyclohex-1-yn-3-ene) was bonded through the triple bond to the $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$ fragment just as diphenylacetylene is bonded to $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$ in diphenylacetylenehexacarbonyldicobalt. A more complete publication of this structural analysis appeared in 1968.¹¹⁵ The molecule crystallizes in space group $\text{P2}_1/\text{c}$ and 936

independent reflections were collected. Anisotropic least squares refinement to a residual index of 7.8% gave the bond distances and angles listed in Table III-A-3. The molecule is illustrated in Figure III-A-2.

In this molecule, the fluorine atoms increase the extent of 'back-donation' to the acetylene thus accounting for the stability of the complex. The angles at the acetylenic carbons are constrained to be around 120° whereas those in the other acetylenic dicobalthexacarbonyls are *circa* 140° . This does not appear to greatly affect the bonding. Roe and Massey ¹¹⁶ have recently published a report on the preparation of a $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{10}$ derivative of the above perfluoroorganic ligand using perfluorobenzene magnesium bromide and dicobaltoctacarbonyl. Studies by mass spectrometry and infrared spectroscopy have shown it to be similar to the diethylacetylenedecacarbonyltetracobalt cluster reported by Dahl and Smith. ¹¹⁷

In this structure, the $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{10}$ unit is described as a 'butterfly form' and the largest Co-Co distance so formed is spanned by the acetylene. The acetylenic $\text{C}\equiv\text{C}$ distance is $1.44(2)\text{\AA}$. This value should not be related to the other structures reported in the Introduction since the bonding in this complex is not the same.

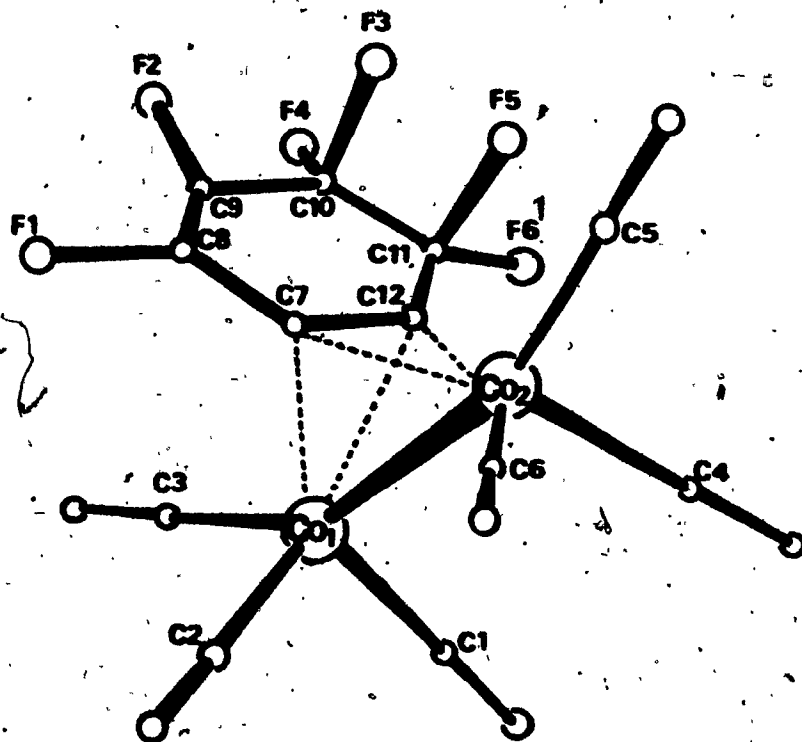
TABLE III-A-3

BOND LENGTHS (Å) AND SOME BOND ANGLES (°) IN
PERFLUOROCYCLOHEX-1-YN -3-ENEHEXACARBONYLDICOBALT

Co1-Co2	2.488(4)	C7 -C12	1.36(3)
Co1-C12	1.91(2)	Co2-C7	1.93(2)
Co1-C7	1.90(2)	Co2-C12	1.96(2)
Co1-C2	1.72(3)	Co2-C6	1.80(2)
Co1-C1	1.87(2)	Co2-C4	1.84(2)
Co1-C3	1.86(3)	Co2-C5	1.80(2)
C-O(carbonyl)	1.13(3)		

Co2-Col-C2	100(1)	Col-Co2-C6	100(1)
Co2-Col-C1	101(1)	Col-Co2-C4	100(1)
Co2-Col-C3	150(1)	Col-Co2-C5	146(1)
C8 -C7 -C12	119(2)	C11-C12-C7	123(2)

Figure III-A-2. The molecular configuration of perfluoro-
cyclohex-1-yn -3-enehexacarbonyldicobalt.



3. π versus σ Bonding in Hexacarbonyldicobalt Ethynyl Complexes of Phosphorus and Arsenic.

It has been seen that phosphines and arsines bond to dicobaltoctacarbonyl using their lone pair of electrons to form a σ bond. It has also been discussed, at some length, how acetylenic-dicobalthexacarbonyl linkages form and the nature of the bonding involved. Molecules with both bonding possibilities are of interest in that a study of such patterns that may develop might give important information on the affinity of dicobaltoctacarbonyl for either σ or π bonding, or both. Such a study was the original goal of the work reported in this Chapter and, although its scope was greatly reduced due to the formation of polymers and intractable products, important information concerning the competitive nature of the σ and π bond potential of triethynylarsine for dicobaltoctacarbonyl was gleaned.

A parallel study has been conducted by A.J. Carty¹¹⁸ on the reactions of dicobaltoctacarbonyl with phosphinoacetylenes, $\text{R}'\text{PC}\equiv\text{CR}''$. An original paper¹¹⁹ was published on the reaction of $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$ with bis(diphenylphosphino)acetylene ($\text{Ph}_2\text{PC}\equiv\text{CPh}_2$). The acetylene did not π bond but both phosphines bonded σ to form a bridge between two $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_7$ fragments. These moieties retained the bridging carbonyl structure of $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$. When the ligand

$\text{Ph}_2\text{PC}\equiv\text{CCF}_3$ was used, a complex involving both σ bonding of the phosphorus atom and π bonding of the acetylene moiety was obtained. The molecule $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{10}(\text{Ph}_2\text{PC}\equiv\text{CCF}_3)_2$ ¹²⁰ was shown by X-ray crystallographic structure determination to consist of two $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_5$ units linked by the two $\text{Ph}_2\text{PC}\equiv\text{CCF}_3$ moieties both by π acetylenic and σ donor bonding. The Co-Co bond lengths averaged 2.473 Å and the C-C bonds of the 'acetylenic bonds' averaged 1.348 Å. It was also observed that the Co-C(carbonyl) bond *trans* to the Co-Co bond was shorter (1.751 Å) than the remaining Co-C(carbonyl) bonds (average 1.826 Å).

SECTION B: EXPERIMENTAL

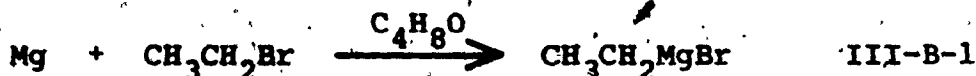
1. Synthesis and Characterization of Triethynylarsine

With modifications, the preparation of triethynylarsine was effected as described by Voskuil and Arens.¹²¹ Preparation of the ethynylmagnesium bromide precursor was adapted from a procedure by Skattebol, Jones and Whiting.¹²²

To 50 ml of tetrahydrofuran (C_4H_8O), which had been refluxed under nitrogen for four days in the presence of lithium aluminum hydride and then distilled, was added 2.4 g (0.1 gram atom) of magnesium metal turnings. This was done in a 500 ml three-necked flask fitted with a reflux condenser (with a nitrogen gas inlet-outlet tube protected with a calcium chloride drying tube), a thermometer (-20° to $150^\circ C$) and a pressure-equalized dropping funnel which contained a solution of 8.2 ml (11.97 g, 0.11 moles) bromoethane (C_2H_5Br) in 85 ml tetrahydrofuran.

The apparatus was flushed with dry nitrogen gas. The Mg turnings and tetrahydrofuran were stirred with a magnetic stirrer and heated to $35^\circ C$. Then 10 ml of the bromoethane solution were added while stirring vigorously and the temperature rose to $55^\circ C$. The flow rate of addition of bromoethane was adjusted to maintain this temperature to

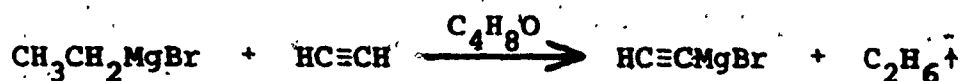
within 5°C. The solution turned black as the reaction (III-B-1) proceeded. When all the bromoethane was added, the mixture was stirred at 45°C for an additional hour. The solution of ethylmagnesium bromide so formed was stored at room temperature in a pressure-equalized dropping funnel.



A 500 ml three-necked round bottom flask was fitted with a reflux condenser as above, a pressure-equalized dropping funnel containing the ethylmagnesium bromide and a rubber stopper with an acetylene gas inlet tube that reached under the surface of 100 ml of dry oxygen-free tetrahydrofuran. The acetylene gas was purified by passing it from its 250 p.s.i. tank through concentrated sulphuric acid using a gas bubbler. It was then passed through a trap maintained at -75°C (care was exercised to maintain the temperature above -81°C, the normal boiling point of acetylene) and allowed to bubble into the tetrahydrofuran so as to saturate it.

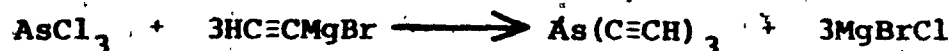
A few drops of the Grignard reagent were added to the acetylene-tetrahydrofuran solution and the liquid took on a pink colour which became progressively darker as the reaction (III-B-2) proceeded. Much frothing was observed as the ethane was liberated. The Grignard was

added dropwise to ensure an even temperature. It also ensured a continual excess of acetylene gas which was bubbled through the solution rather vigorously. The solution was allowed to stir an additional 30 minutes with slowly-bubbling acetylene to ensure complete reaction. The solution was indeed observed to be inhomogeneous at room temperature and it was stored in a pressure-equalized dropping funnel at 30°C until used in the final step.



III-B-2

A 500 ml. three-necked flask was fitted with a reflux condenser as above, an alcohol thermometer (-100 to 50°C) and a pressure-equalized dropping funnel containing the ethynylmagnesium bromide solution. In the three-necked flask was placed 2.8 ml arsenic trichloride (6.06 g, 0.033 moles) in 40 ml diethylether (distilled under nitrogen after refluxing for one day over calcium hydride). This solution was cooled in an acetone-dry ice bath to -30°C and a few drops of the Grignard were added. The clear solution turned milky and the temperature rose slightly. The flow rate was adjusted to maintain -30°C in the acetone-dry ice bath. Care was taken not to go below -30°C because the reaction mixture would become too viscous to stir properly.



III-B-3

When all the Grignard had been added, the reaction mixture was allowed to reach room temperature and stirred at this temperature for one full hour. Then the beige mixture was cooled to -20°C and 50 ml of a 10% w/w solution of ammonium chloride (NH_4Cl) in water was added at a rate to maintain the temperature of the stirred mixture at about -20°C . The mixture was once again allowed to reach room temperature. It was then placed in a separatory funnel where the clear top organic layer was saved and, after washing twice with diethylether, the bottom aqueous layer was discarded.

About 10 cm³ of molecular sieve, type 4A in 1/16th inch pellets (Fisher Scientific Company), were added to the combined organic fractions and this was left for 20 hours at room temperature in a stoppered flask. (By this time a respite was needed from the rather overwhelming odour of triethynylarsine; that of geraniums).

The organic solution of triethynylarsine was placed on the rotary evaporator. The solution was reduced from a volume of 200 ml to a volume of 10 ml to produce a viscous brown liquid. The flask was stoppered and transferred

to a vacuum line. A system, consisting of (A) the round bottom flask containing the 10 cm³ of crude product solution, (B) a flow-through U-shaped tube, (C) another flow-through U-shaped tube and (D) a round bottom 50 ml flask which could be sealed, was evacuated while maintaining flask A at the temperature of liquid nitrogen.

The first trap (B) was cooled in a methanol-ice bath to a temperature within the range -25°C to -20°C. The second trap (C) was cooled to -78°C in an acetone-dry ice bath. On warming the crude mixture to room temperature, the remaining tetrahydrofuran distilled through the first trap and condensed in the second. The crystalline triethynylarsine condensed in the first trap. The volatility of the product was such that heating of the crude product was unwarranted thus eliminating unnecessary decomposition and taming the unusually high propensity of these compounds to explode when subjected to heat. The solid salt-like crystals were transferred to storage flask D and stoppered therein. The ligand, now in its pure form, was stored in the refrigerator until needed.

The theoretical yield of triethynylarsine was 0.033 moles or 4.95 g. A total of 3.61 g was obtained representing a 73% yield.

The colourless and malodorous crystals obtained

melted in the range $48 \rightarrow 50^\circ\text{C}$ ($49 \rightarrow 50^\circ\text{C}$ ¹²¹). The infrared spectrum was recorded on the Perkin Elmer IR-457 in nujol mull form. The spectrum was calibrated using a polystyrene film. Peaks at 3295(vs), 2044(m), 1292(w), 681(s), 651(s) and 516(m) cm^{-1} agree with those reported by Voskuil and Arens¹²¹ as well as Miller and Lemmon.¹²³

The proton magnetic resonance (pmr) spectrum was recorded. A 10% (w/v) solution of the product in dichloromethane gave one singlet at $\delta = 2.72$ ppm. This compares favourably with $\delta = 2.62$ ppm¹²¹ recorded earlier.

2. The Synthesis and Characterization of Tris(hexacarbonyl- dicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine

Dicobaltoctacarbonyl ($\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$ - 0.551 g , 1.52 millimoles) was dissolved in 25 ml of cyclohexane (C_6H_{12}), previously dried by refluxing under nitrogen gas with calcium hydride for a week and then distilled. Triethynylarsine (0.063 g , 0.42 millimoles) was dissolved in an additional 25 ml of cyclohexane. The first solution was added to the second.

There was immediate evolution of a gas and the reaction mixture turned from brown-yellow, characteristic

of dicobaltoctacarbonyl in solution, to deep red during the two hour period the reaction mixture was stirred. No further evolution of gas was observed at this time. The solution was placed on the rotary evaporator and the solvent was removed *in vacuo* to a volume of 4 ml.

A chromatographic column was prepared. The column was 1 inch in diameter and 12 inches long. The silica gel was deactivated with 13% (w/w) water and mixed with cyclohexane. The column was packed wet and the 4 ml of solution were placed on it. Two bands were observed upon elution with cyclohexane. The first, and by far the largest, was collected and the cyclohexane was completely removed *in vacuo*. The yield was 0.391 g or 93%. The product was then redissolved in 15 ml cyclohexane and the solution was placed in the refrigerator (at 0°C) overnight.

The second band was collected, the solvent evaporated, and the small amount of solid obtained was dried *in vacuo*. An infrared spectrum identified this solid as the starting material dicobaltoctacarbonyl when compared to the literature spectrum.¹² There had been no detectable odour characteristic of the arsine in the reaction mixture.

The refrigerated solution of product was observed to deposit small deep red crystals which had the external appearance of truncated octahedra. These crystals were

isolated by filtration and washed several times with cold cyclohexane. They were dried *in vacuo* for 24 hours.

The complex decomposed without melting in the temperature range $119^{\circ}\text{C} \rightarrow 124^{\circ}\text{C}$. An unidentified black powder resulted. The complex was soluble in polar as well as non-polar solvents being relatively stable in air but somewhat less so in solution. For tris(hexacarbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine ($\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_3\text{AsCo}_2\text{O}_{18}$), the theoretical elemental analysis gives %C = 28.60, %H = 0.30, %As = 7.43 and %Co = 35.09. The experimentally-determined chemical analysis gave %C = 28.80, %H = 0.32, %As = 7.32 and %Co = 35.01.

The infrared spectrum of tris(hexacarbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine is reported in Table III-B-1. The 2000 to 2100 cm^{-1} region of the infrared spectrum as recorded in carbon disulphide solution is shown in Figure III-B-1. The Perkin Elmer IR-457 was used to record this spectrum.

The nmr spectrum was recorded using a 20% (w/v) dichloromethane solution. Although the peak was of low intensity, a singlet was nevertheless recorded at $\delta = 6.3\text{ ppm}$. The complex was not sufficiently volatile to obtain a mass spectrometric analysis.

TABLE III-B-1

INFRARED PEAKS^a FOR TRIS (HEXACARBONYLDICOBALT- π -ETHYNYL)ARSINE

3118(w) ^b		861(w)
2971(w) ^b		770(w)
2090(vs)	2090(s) ^c	
2068(s)	2068(vs) ^c	569(w)
2036(s)	2058(w,sh) ^c	523(m)
2021(vs)	2029(vs) ^c	515(m,sh)
2007(vs)	1986(w) ^c	494(m)
1986(w)		453(w)
		384(m,bd)
1438(w) ^b		360(m)
1418(w) ^b		

^a Unless otherwise indicated, all frequencies are quoted in cm^{-1} in the form of their nujol mulls on KBr windows using the IR-225 ($\pm 1\text{cm}^{-1}$).

^b Recorded by IR-457 ($\pm 3\text{cm}^{-1}$) of a tetrachloroethylene solution using 1.0 mm sodium chloride matched cells.

^c Recorded by IR-457 ($\pm 3\text{cm}^{-1}$) of a carbon disulphide solution using 1.0 mm sodium chloride matched cells.

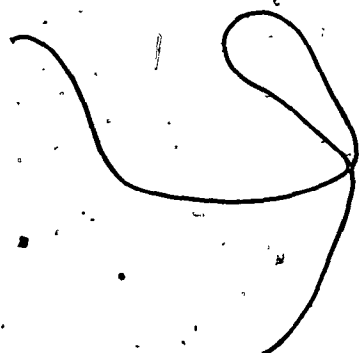
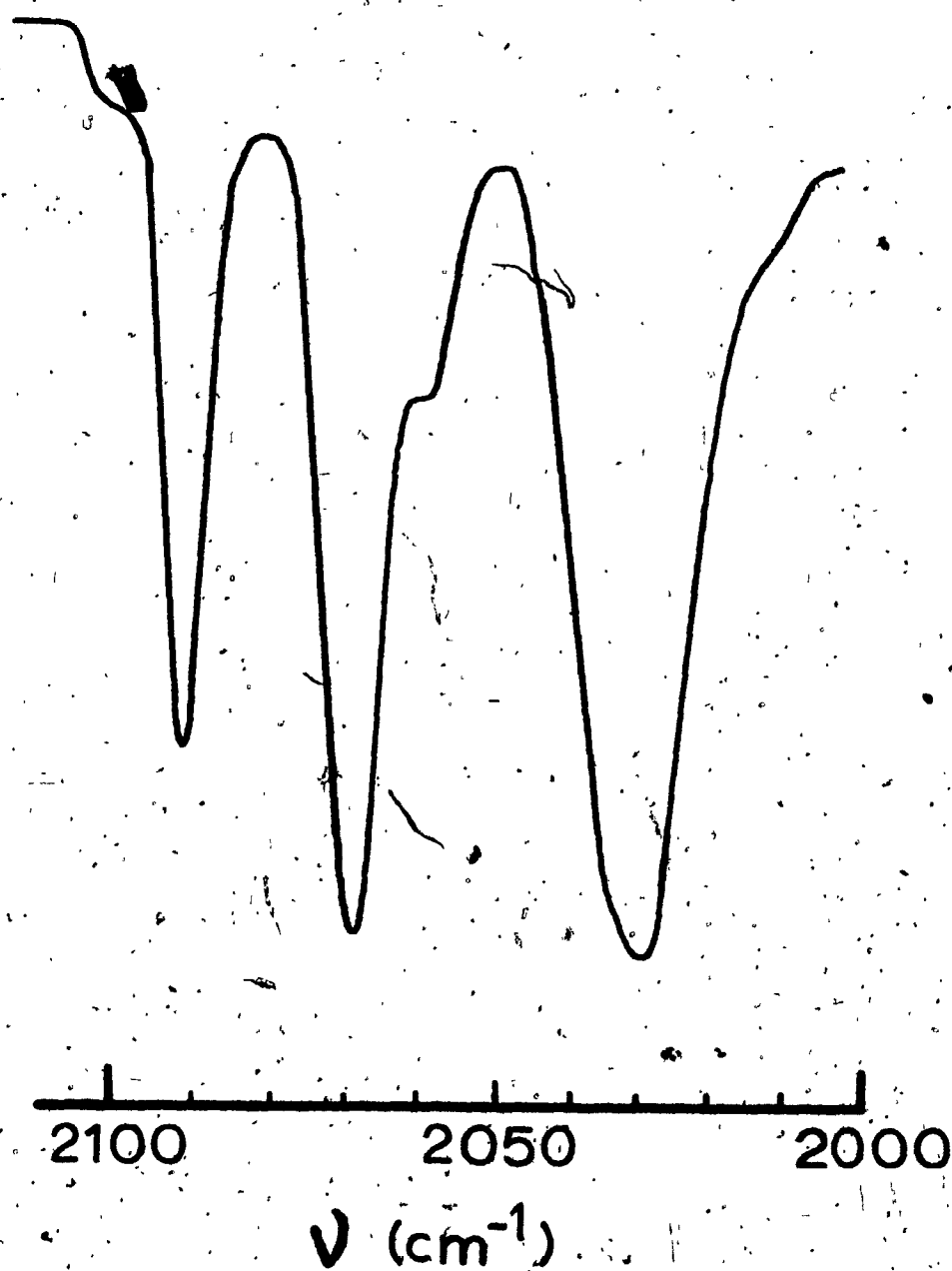


Figure III-B-1. The infrared spectrum of tris(hexacarbonyl-
dicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine from 2000 to 2100
 cm^{-1} showing terminal carbonyl C-O stretching
peaks in carbon disulphide solution.



3. The Crystal and Molecular Structure Determination of
Tris(hexacarbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine

A crystal with approximate dimensions $0.1 \times 0.1 \times 0.1$ mm was mounted on a goniometer head and alignment photographs were recorded on the Weissenberg camera. The oscillation photographs obtained showed *mm* symmetry. A zero level Weissenberg photograph showed the monoclinic a^*c^* zone. The crystal was thus mounted along the unique axis b of the monoclinic cell. The first level Weissenberg showed that twice as many festoons appeared which cut the axis corresponding to c^* than were present on the zero level. This implied a c glide plane perpendicular to b since the condition for systematic absences is, for all on $h0l$, $l = 2n + 1$.

The goniometer head was then transferred to the precession camera where the azimuthal angle was set to correspond to the a^* axis and alignment was effected on the $hk0$ zone. A systematic absence along b^* indicated a two-fold screw axis (for $0k0$, $k = 2n + 1$). The space group was thus assigned to be $P2_1/c$ (No. 14) and this was further confirmed by the $0kl$ precession zone which showed every second spot missing on the b^* axis (due to the two-fold screw axis) and the c^* axis (due to the c glide plane).

The difference between the two azimuthal settings

for the precession zones determined the angle β^* as 67.6° . A measurement of the spacing on the precession zones gave a y_a distance of 3.99 mm, a y_b distance of 2.24 mm and a y_c distance of 2.71 mm. This corresponds to reciprocal dimensions of 0.0935 \AA^{-1} , 0.0524 \AA^{-1} and 0.0635 \AA^{-1} respectively for a^* , b^* and c^* . Using the conversions for the monoclinic cell,¹²⁴ the film-measured direct cell dimensions are $a = 11.56 \text{ \AA}$, $b = 19.05 \text{ \AA}$, $c = 17.01 \text{ \AA}$ and $\beta = 112.4^\circ$. The unit cell volume is thus 3452 \AA^3 .

The density of the crystal was measured by flotation of crystals of the same crop in an iodoethane-benzene solution. The observed density was $1.88(2) \text{ g cm}^{-3}$. This was congruent with a calculated density of 1.94 g cm^{-3} based on four molecules of tris(hexacarbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine, $M = 1007.8 \text{ amu}$, in the monoclinic unit cell. The molecular volume was calculated to be 863 \AA^3 .

The goniometer head was mounted on the diffractometer and both the (6,0,0) and the (0,0,6) reflections were centered. The (0,12,0) reflection was then located and centered. The twelve reflections used for the least squares refinement were (6,0,0), (-6,0,0), (0,12,0), (0,-12,0), (0,0,6), (0,0,-6), (4,4,4), (-4,-4,-4), (-4,4,8), (4,-4,-8), (4,-4,4), (-4,4,-4). The second least squares refinement cycle resulted in but small changes in the fourth decimal place of the cell parameters. The refined cell parameters

are $a = 11.536 \pm 0.006$, $b = 19.031 \pm 0.011$, $c = 17.009 \pm 0.010$, $\beta = 112.30 \pm 0.03^\circ$.

Data collection was initiated using the parameters listed in Table III-B-2. The quarter sphere collected was that bounded by positive k and positive l . Of the 4922 reflections collected, 3906 were accepted, 592 were less than 3σ and 424 were absent. A reject routine eliminating reflections with negative h on the $hk0$ zone as well as systematic absences in $P2_1/c$ was used. No absorption corrections were applied ($\mu = 40.10 \text{ cm}^{-1}$) although they were most probably necessary. A simple calculation based on a two-dimensional model gave a minimum and a maximum transmission factor (I/I_0) of 0.67 and 0.76 respectively for the crystal used.

Normalized structure factors E_{hkl} were computed using the program *NORMA*. The value of ϵ was set to 1 for all reflections except those on the $h0l$ zone and on the $0k0$ axis for which it was set equal to 2. There were 2573 reflections processed with $(\sin^2 \theta)/\lambda^2$ less than 0.21, 784 having E_{hkl} greater than 1.0, 113 having E_{hkl} greater than 2.0 and 10 reflections having E_{hkl} greater than 3.0.

A value of 1.90 was chosen for the minimum E value and the statistical phasing program *REL* was used to phase the data. The number of reflections with E_{hkl} greater

TABLE III-B-2

DATA COLLECTION PARAMETERS FOR
TRIS (HEXACARBONYLDICOBALT- π -ETHYNYL) ARSINE

Radiation used:

Mo K $_{\alpha}$ ($\lambda = 0.71069\text{\AA}$)

Pulse height analyzer

100%

Upper level

6.50

Lower level

2.50

Attenuators

Used

Space group routine used:

P2 $_1$ /c

maximum h: 11

minimum h: -12

maximum k: 20

minimum k: 0

maximum l: 17

minimum l: 0

maximum 2θ : 45.0°minimum 2θ : 4.5°

Standard used (hkl)

(2,0,0)

Interval

every 30 reflections

Value and Variation

26000 \pm 10%

Background

20 second counts

Base length of scan

2.5°

Total number of reflections

collected:

4922

than 1.90 was 139. A sorting order was chosen such that the triples were signed in the order of their decreasing E_{hkl} magnitudes. Two options were used for the treatment of signs. In the first pass, *NBACK* was 1 and in the second pass, the *NBACK* = 0 option was used. The maximum number of cycles was 20.

For space group $P2_1/c$, three seminvariants are necessary, all of which must not possess even-even-even parity. The second reflection must have parity different from the first and the third reflection must, along with having parity different from the first two, have parity different from the sum of the first two. The signs of these origin-determining reflections were all set to plus. The value of *PROBK* was 0.07. *PROB1* and *PROB2* were set to 0.93 and 0.70 respectively. The starting set involved the seven reflections listed in Table III-B-3 with their E_{hkl} values all signed according to the correct solution.

The consistency index *C* after the first pass for this solution was 0.98 and there were no additions or changes after 7 cycles. The second pass afforded a *C* of 0.98 in but two cycles. The second highest *C* was 0.88. In both passes, for the correct solution, the signs of the starting set were not predicted to be different from those originally assigned. There were 69 pluses and 70 minuses in the 139 reflections phased.

TABLE III-B-3

THE STARTING SET FOR THE SUCCESSFUL REL' SOLUTION OF
TRIS (HEXACARBONYLDICOBALT- π -ETHYNYL) ARSINE

h	k	l	E_{hkl}
1	3	0	3.75
-4	3	8	3.72
0	14	1	3.16
-10	3	8	-3.43
-7	7	2	-3.28
-7	7	4	3.09
3	3	0	-3.06

An E-map was computed using the 139 reflections and their E_{hkl} from REL. One-quarter of the unit cell was computed (full x , $0 \rightarrow \frac{1}{4}$ in y and $0 \rightarrow \frac{1}{4}$ in z) with one-third angstrom resolution. From this map, five atoms were located and their approximate co-ordinates were recorded.

A structure factor calculation based on the positions of the arsenic atom and four cobalt atoms was carried out. The scale factor used here was 0.38. For 3906 reflections, the discrepancy index was 47%. An observed Fourier followed which yielded the positions of the remaining cobalt atoms and the acetylenic carbons. The main core of the molecule was now found.

Another structure factor calculation based on the positions of the arsenic atom, 6 cobalts and 6 acetylenic carbons gave an R factor of 38% for 3906 reflections. A difference Fourier synthesis now permitted location of most of the remaining atoms in the structure. The R_{MAX} for this difference Fourier was 8.46. Only two carbonyls resisted positive identification but they were located after the first isotropic cycle of refinement by another difference Fourier synthesis.

The least squares refinement of tris(hexacarbonyl-dicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine is summarized in Table III-B-4 which lists the parameters which best reflect the

TABLE III-B-4
STRUCTURE FACTOR INFORMATION FOR TRIS(HEXACARBONYLDICOBALT-1-ETHYNYL)ARSINE^a

BEFORE REFINE- MENT	ISO(1)	ISO(2)	ISO(3)	ANISO (1)c	ANISO (2)d	ANISO (3)	ANISO (4)
Scale Factor	0.3800	0.3515	0.3834	0.3859	0.3989	0.3983	0.3983
Number of Matrices	2	2	2	2	5	5	
Total # of Parameters	197	197	262	262	442	442	
Number of Reflections	3906	3134 ^b	3214	3240	2691	2692	2692
"Goodness of fit"	9.216	3.787	3.328	2.361	1.595	1.487	1.487
R	37.6	25.2	18.9	17.1	14.2	9.3	8.4
R(with rejects out)	37.6	25.1	12.9	11.8	9.0	7.5	6.7
R _w	31.6	23.0	13.3	11.6	9.0	5.7	5.3
R _w (with rejects out)	31.6	22.9	11.6	10.2	7.3	5.0	4.7

- a The structure factor calculation data listed is for that run immediately AFTER the least squares refinement cycle heading the column.
- b A reject routine was introduced at this time.
- c Only arsenic, six cobalts and the acetylenic carbons were ANISO.
- d The original data was reprocessed using the method for calculation of σ described in Chapter II, Section B. This accounts for the change in the number of reflections used. All atoms were ANISO.

effect of the refinement cycles. The isotropic refinement was started with all but four atoms located by observed and difference Fourier syntheses. The starting isotropic temperature factors were arbitrarily set at 2.0 for arsenic, 2.5 for cobalts, 4.0 for carbon atoms and 5.0 for oxygens. Two matrices were required and the atoms were not moved from one matrix to the other for the isotropic stage of refinement.

The addition of four atoms (four parameters each) brought the total number of parameters to 197 for isotropic least squares refinement. The drop in the number of reflections used after the second isotropic cycle is due to the introduction of a reject routine. This routine excluded all reflections where the difference between F_{obs} and F_{cal} was greater than 50% of F_{obs} . The weighted discrepancy factor R_w for all data dropped to 11.6% after isotropic refinement had converged. Anomalous dispersion corrections of $\Delta f' = 0.4$ and $\Delta f'' = 1.1$ for cobalt and $\Delta f' = 0.1$ and $\Delta f'' = 2.2$ for arsenic were applied to the mean atomic scattering factors at this time. Anisotropic refinement of the arsenic atom, the six carbons and six acetylenic carbons along with isotropic refinement of the rest of the atoms brought this discrepancy factor down another 2.6% in the first anisotropic cycle.

The positions and thermal parameters were allowed to refine anisotropically in 5 matrices. The moving of atoms

from one matrix to another between anisotropic cycles assured a degree of correlation between them. The matrix location for each atom is listed in Appendix A (page 332).

Anisotropic convergence was attained by the fourth anisotropic cycle. In most cases, the shifts in the 442 refined parameters were smaller (by an average factor of 3) than their corresponding estimated standard deviations. A final structure factor calculation indicated that the weighted discrepancy factor for all the data was 5.3%.

A final difference Fourier synthesis with R_{MAX} set to 8.46 showed no peaks higher than $0.9 \Delta e \text{ \AA}^{-3}$.

Considerable residual electron density about the refined cobalt atom positions made the assignment of hydrogen atom positions ambiguous and undesirable.

A list of observed and calculated structure factors can be found in Appendix A (page 332) of this Thesis. All reflections for which $(|F_{obs} - F_{cal}| / F_{obs})$ is greater than 0.5 are not listed. The final refined positional and thermal parameters for tris(hexacarbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)-arsine are also given in Appendix A.

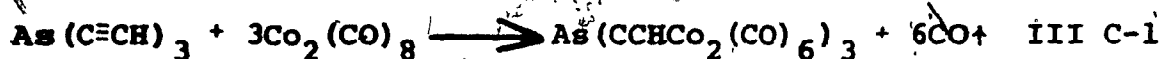
SECTION C. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

1. Non-crystallographic

Studies have been carried out on species which form π bonds with dicobaltoctacarbonyl and those which form σ bonds but, at the time this study was undertaken, no studies had been effected on ligands which possess both bonding possibilities. The aim of the research problem was to determine what type of bonding was likely to prevail in the reaction of triacetylenic arsines and phosphines with various transition metal carbonyls. The only successful result was obtained with triethynylarsine and dicobaltoctacarbonyl and the bonding preference is for the π type.

When three moles of $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$ are added to one mole of triethynylarsine in an inert solvent, gas is immediately evolved with the formation of tris(hexacarbonyl-dicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine. Even with one mole $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$ and two moles of triethynylarsine the reaction still gave the same product (Appendix F). The reaction is described by Equation III-C-1. The lone pair apparently does not interact to displace terminal carbonyl ligands on the $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$ molecule but rather, each of the three acetylenic linkages accommodates a $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$ unit in π fashion just as with $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$.

(PhCCPh).⁷⁷ Since this work has been reported¹²⁵ Carty *et al.*¹²⁰ have published a report on the X-ray crystal structure of $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{10}(\text{Ph}_2\text{PCCCF}_3)_2$ in which the ligand $\text{Ph}_2\text{PC}\equiv\text{CCF}_3$ was found both to σ bond (to a $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_5$ unit) through the phosphorus atom and π bond *via* the $\text{C}\equiv\text{C}$ moiety to another $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_5$ unit forming a dimeric structure.



As can be seen from a quick survey of Appendix F, many reactions of triacetylenearsines with transition metal carbonyls were tried with varying degrees of success. When $\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CCH}_3)_3$ and $\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{C}-t\text{-C}_4\text{H}_9)_3$ were reacted with $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$ more than one product was shown to exist by column chromatography and it is suspected σ bonded products probably exist. These products should be examined more thoroughly. Perhaps the donor ability of the arsenic atom is enhanced through the σ bonding system due to the presence of the alkyl groups. Again, perhaps the steric crowding observed in tris(hexacarbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine is compounded by the presence of bulkier alkyl groups. This would have the effect of destabilizing the π bonded product in favour of the σ bonded product.

Complexes with other transition metal carbonyls were not as tractable and they were not examined very closely. Appendix F gives a list of the various reactions

attempted, the reaction conditions, and the product descriptions if any products were recovered. The iron carbonyls were the most systematically studied of the transition metal carbonyls. Chemical analyses were carried out on independently-prepared samples where great care was exercised to exclude air at all times. The fluffy light brown powder (insoluble in all common organic solvents) gave analytical results which differed by 5% in carbon, 2.5% in iron and 4% in arsenic. This led to the conclusion that the product was a polymer with rather variable stoichiometry.

The infrared spectrum of the ligand $\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CH})_3$ ^{121,123} shows a peak at 3291 cm^{-1} (C-H stretching vibration) which is moved to lower energy (3118 cm^{-1} and 2971 cm^{-1}) in tris-(hexacarbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine. An even more dramatic change occurs to the peak at 2045 cm^{-1} ($\text{C}\equiv\text{C}$ stretch) in the ligand which moves to 1438 cm^{-1} and 1418 cm^{-1} in the complex indicating the bond is more adequately described as double rather than triple upon complexation. These last bands were not visible on the infrared spectra run in KBr but they were observed in infrared spectra recorded using tetrachloroethylene solutions.

The infrared spectrum of dicobaltoctacarbonyl indicates terminal carbonyl stretching vibrations at 2068, 2041, 2024 cm^{-1} and a shoulder at 1992 cm^{-1} .¹² The bridging carbonyl band was recorded at 1860 cm^{-1} with a

shoulder at 1825 cm^{-1} . When the bridging carbonyls are replaced by an acetylene, the bridging carbonyl frequencies disappear and the terminal carbonyls absorb at 2092, 2049 and 2024 cm^{-1} . In tris(hexacarbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine, there are essentially three peaks recorded at 2090, 2068 and 2029 cm^{-1} and a shoulder at 2058 cm^{-1} on the 2068 cm^{-1} peak (see Figure III-B-1). The bonding of the $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$ fragment to the acetylene can thus be suspected of being very similar to that in $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6(\text{PhCCPh})$.⁷⁷

The nuclear magnetic resonance (nmr) spectrum of the free ligand ($\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CH})_3$) in dichloromethane solution shows a single sharp resonance at $\delta = 2.72\text{ ppm}$ which is normal for an unconjugated acetylenic proton.¹²⁷ When the $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$ unit is complexed with the acetylenic linkage, the proton (in dichloromethane solution) is found to absorb at $\delta = 6.3\text{ ppm}$. This is in the region of a proton attached to a double bonded carbon atom.

The complexed ligand retains the lone pair on the arsenic atom and this might be thought to afford a further bonding site. Attempts to react tris(hexacarbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine with various Lewis acids were unsuccessful however and steric crowding as well as decreased donor ability of the arsine at the outset may well be responsible for this.

2. The Crystal and Molecular Structure of Tris(hexacarbonyl-dicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine

Tris(hexacarbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine crystallizes in the monoclinic space group $P2_1/c$ with four molecules per unit cell. The molecules are discrete with a central triethynylarsine unit accommodating three $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$ moieties which are each π bonded to one of the three acetylenic linkages. A picture of the molecular configuration is given in Figure III-C-1 where the heavy atoms are 'shaded' and the numbering scheme is given. It will be noted that three-fold symmetry is closely approximated in this view of the molecule down the *pseudo* three-fold axis. The $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$ units are aligned such as to minimize carbonyl-arsenic contacts.

Tables III-C-1 and III-C-2 give the bond lengths and angles respectively for the complex. These parameters are arranged in such a way that the *pseudo* three-fold nature of the complex is shown. The average Co-Co bond length is $2.470(3)\text{\AA}$ which further confirms the rather consistent value of this distance in these π bonded complexes: $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6 \cdot (\text{PhCCPh}) - 2.47\text{\AA}$,⁷⁷ $\text{Co}_3(\text{CO})_9\text{C}_3\text{HCO}_2(\text{CO})_6 - 2.45\text{\AA}$,¹¹⁰ $\text{Co}_6(\text{CO})_{18}\text{C}_6\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6 - 2.47\text{\AA}$ ¹¹¹ and 2.46\AA ,¹¹² $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6 \cdot \text{C}_6\text{F}_6 - 2.49\text{\AA}$.¹¹⁵

The angles subtended at the arsenic atom average

Figure III-C-1. The molecular configuration of tris(hexa-
carbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine.

TABLE III-C-1BOND LENGTHS (Å) IN TRIS (HEXACARBONYLDICOBALT- π -ETHYNYL) ARSINE

As -C1 : 1.954(12)	As -C3 : 1.960(10)	As -C5 : 1.943(12)
C1 -C2 : 1.352(18)	C3 -C4 : 1.316(17)	C5 -C6 : 1.326(17)
Co1-Co2 : 2.468(03)	Co3-Co4 : 2.477(03)	Co5-Co6 : 2.466(03)
Co1-C1 : 1.976(12)	Co3-C3 : 2.005(10)	Co5-C5 : 1.989(12)
Co1-C2 : 1.983(12)	Co3-C4 : 1.953(13)	Co5-C6 : 1.980(12)
Co2-C1 : 1.936(12)	Co4-C3 : 1.939(11)	Co6-C5 : 1.944(12)
Co2-C2 : 1.941(12)	Co4-C4 : 1.940(13)	Co6-C6 : 1.935(12)
Co1-C11 : 1.763(14)	Co3-C31 : 1.738(18)	Co5-C51 : 1.720(17)
Co1-C12 : 1.788(16)	Co3-C32 : 1.862(16)	Co5-C52 : 1.840(15)
Co1-C13 : 1.864(16)	Co3-C33 : 1.787(27)	Co5-C53 : 1.735(19)
Co2-C21 : 1.729(16)	Co4-C41 : 1.721(15)	Co6-C61 : 1.798(17)
Co2-C22 : 1.793(18)	Co4-C42 : 1.810(18)	Co6-C62 : 1.848(17)
Co2-C23 : 1.815(14)	Co4-C43 : 1.761(19)	Co6-C63 : 1.780(16)
C11-O11 : 1.170(19)	C31-O31 : 1.175(22)	C51-O51 : 1.202(22)
C12-O12 : 1.142(20)	C32-O32 : 1.088(19)	C52-O52 : 1.086(19)
C13-O13 : 1.099(18)	C33-O33 : 1.126(31)	C53-O53 : 1.148(24)
C21-O21 : 1.174(20)	C41-O41 : 1.164(18)	C61-O61 : 1.117(22)
C22-O22 : 1.165(23)	C42-O42 : 1.133(22)	C62-O62 : 1.135(21)
C23-O23 : 1.143(17)	C43-O43 : 1.186(22)	C63-O63 : 1.146(20)

TABLE III-C-2

BOND ANGLES (°) IN TRIS (HEXACARBONYLDICOBALT-T-TETHYNYL) ARSINE

Cl -As -C3 :	102.0(5)	C3 -As -C5 :	104.3(5)	C5 -As -C1 :	103.6(5)
As -Cl -C2 :	141.0(9)	As -C3 -C4 :	141.7(9)	As -C5 -C6 :	139.2(9)
As -Cl -Co1 :	119.0(6)	As -C3 -Co3 :	119.6(6)	As -C5 -Co5 :	119.7(6)
As -Cl -Co2 :	146.6(7)	As -C3 -Co4 :	146.0(6)	As -C5 -Co6 :	148.3(7)
Co1-Cl -C2 :	70.3(7)	Co3-C3 -C4 :	68.5(7)	Co5-C5 -C6 :	70.1(7)
Co2-Cl -C2 :	69.8(7)	Co4-C3 -C4 :	70.2(7)	Co6-C5 -C6 :	69.6(7)
Co1-Cl -Co2 :	78.2(4)	Co3-C3 -Co4 :	77.8(4)	Co5-C5 -Co6 :	77.7(4)
Co1-C2 -Cl :	69.8(7)	Co3-C4 -C3 :	72.7(8)	Co5-C6 -C5 :	70.8(7)
Co2-C2 -Cl :	69.4(7)	Co4-C4 -C3 :	70.2(8)	Co6-C6 -C5 :	70.4(7)
Co1-C2 -Co2 :	77.9(4)	Co3-C4 -Co4 :	79.0(5)	Co5-C6 -Co6 :	78.1(4)
Cl -Co1-C2 :	39.9(5)	C3 -Co3-C4 :	38.8(5)	C5 -Co5-C6 :	39.0(5)
Cl -Co1-Co2 :	50.2(3)	C3 -Co3-Co4 :	49.9(3)	C5 -Co5-Co6 :	50.3(3)

TABLE III-C-2 (CONT'D)

C1 -Col-C13:	101.4(6)	C3 -Co3-C33:	104.6(8)	C5 -Co5-C53:	104.6(7)
C1 -Col-C11:	100.9(6)	C3 -Co3-C31:	99.1(6)	C5 -Co5-C51:	100.7(7)
C11-Col-C2 :	96.3(6)	C31-Co3-C4 :	98.8(7)	C51-Co5-C6 :	95.5(7)
C2 -Col-Co2:	50.3(4)	C4 -Co3-Co4:	50.2(4)	C6 -Co5-Co6:	50.1(3)
Co2-Col-C13:	103.2(5)	Co4-Co3-C33:	99.1(9)	Co6-Co5-C53:	103.1(8)
C13-Col-C11:	100.3(6)	C33-Co3-C31:	101.2(9)	C53-Co5-C51:	103.2(9)
C11-Col-C12:	98.0(7)	C31-Co3-C32:	97.7(8)	C51-Co5-C52:	96.6(8)
C13-Col-C12:	106.8(7)	C33-Co3-C32:	109.0(9)	C53-Co5-C52:	103.2(7)
C2 -Col-C12:	106.0(6)	C4 -Co3-C32:	101.0(6)	C6 -Co5-C52:	106.8(6)
Co2-Col-C12:	98.6(5)	Co4-Co3-C32:	100.4(5)	Co6-Co5-C52:	99.2(6)
Co2-Col-C11:	145.8(5)	Co4-Co3-C31:	146.6(6)	Co6-Co5-C51:	145.1(6)
C1 -Co2-C2 :	40.8(5)	C3 -Co4-C4 :	39.7(5)	C5 -Co6-C6 :	40.0(5)
C1 -Co2-Col:	51.6(3)	C3 -Co4-Co3:	52.3(3)	C5 -Co6-Co5:	52.0(4)
C1 -Co2-C23:	106.5(6)	C3 -Co4-C43:	106.6(7)	C5 -Co6-C63:	106.7(6)
C1 -Co2-C21:	102.4(7)	C3 -Co4-C41:	101.4(6)	C5 -Co6-C61:	101.9(6)
C21-Co2-C2 :	101.0(6)	C41-Co4-C4 :	100.8(6)	C61-Co6-C6 :	100.8(6)
C2 -Co2-Col:	51.8(4)	C4 -Co4-Co3:	50.7(4)	C6 -Co6-Co5:	51.8(4)
Col-Co2-C23:	97.8(6)	Co3-Co4-C43:	100.6(6)	Co5-Co6-C63:	99.1(5)

TABLE III-C-2 (CONT'D)

TABLE III-C-2 (CONT'D)					
C23-Co2-C21:	102.6 (7)	C43-Co4-C41:	100.6 (8)	C63-Co6-C61:	101.1 (8)
C21-Co2-C22:	96.9 (8)	C41-Co4-C42:	95.7 (7)	C61-Co6-C62:	96.4 (7)
C23-Co2-C22:	103.4 (7)	C43-Co4-C42:	104.9 (7)	C63-Co6-C62:	102.9 (7)
C2 -Co2-C22:	100.9 (7)	C4 -Co4-C42:	102.3 (6)	C6 -Co6-C62:	103.1 (6)
Co1-Co2-C22:	98.0 (6)	Co3-Co4-C42:	98.8 (6)	Co5-Co6-C62:	99.1 (5)
Co1-Co2-C21:	151.1 (6)	Co3-Co4-C41:	150.3 (5)	Co5-Co6-C61:	151.0 (6)
Co1-C11-O11:	177.2 (13)	Co1-C12-O12:	178.2 (15)	Co1-C13-O13:	179.6 (14)
Co2-C21-O21:	178.5 (15)	Co2-C22-O22:	178.0 (17)	Co2-C23-O23:	176.8 (14)
Co3-C31-O31:	175.9 (18)	Co3-C32-O32:	177.8 (15)	Co3-C33-O33:	175.3 (25)
Co4-C41-O41:	178.9 (13)	Co4-C42-O42:	177.5 (14)	Co4-C43-O43:	175.5 (17)
Co5-C51-O51:	172.5 (16)	Co5-C52-O52:	178.1 (14)	Co5-C53-O53:	175.6 (16)
Co6-C61-O61:	177.3 (16)	Co6-C62-O62:	176.0 (14)	Co6-C63-O63:	177.0 (15)

103.3° which is in agreement with angles (average 101°) found in other arsines.¹²⁸⁻¹³⁰ Although the X-ray crystallographic structure of triethynylarsine has not been reported, that of triethynylphosphine¹³¹ shows angles which average 101°. The slight increase in C-As-C angle can doubtless be attributed to the fact that the substituents are more bulky and cause a spreading of the three units away from each other.

In the molecule triethynylphosphine, there exists an angle at the carbon atoms adjacent to the phosphorus atom different from 180°. There appears to be a bending upwards (170° average) of the acetylenic moiety toward the phosphorus atom. A projection down the *pseudo* three-fold axis shows no bend in the other directions. The authors do not attempt an explanation of this phenomenon but it may result from a favoured contribution of one of the two mutually perpendicular π molecular orbitals to P-C bonding. The length of the phosphorus-carbon bond should be examined in this context.

The measured value of the average P-C(sp) bond is 1.75Å as reported by Kroon *et al.*¹³¹ The difference between the radii of sp^2 and sp hybridized carbon atoms is 0.07Å.¹³²

An average value of 1.86Å is obtained from values quoted for various P-C(sp^2) distances in diphosphine

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complexes .

Since the measured P-C distance in triethynylphosphine is 1.75Å, there appears to be some double bond character to the bond. It is likely that the same effect would be observed in the arsenic analog.

In tris(hexacarbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine, the As-C distance averages 1.952(5)Å. An average As-C distance of 1.97Å is found from examination of various diarsine complexes. 137-140

Since these values are approached in tris(hexacarbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine, it is assumed that, upon complexation the degree of participation of the acetylenic π orbitals in the As-C bond is reduced. The π orbitals are assumed to be mostly involved in bonding to the $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$ fragment.

The angles at the acetylenic carbon atoms attached to phosphorus in triethynylphosphine average 170° 131 whereas the angles at C1, C3 and C5 in tris(hexacarbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine average 140.6°. This implies more p character to this carbon atom which approaches sp^2 hybridization. The average C-C bond length of 1.331(11)Å supports this claim (double bond radius of carbon is 0.667Å 132) and it is similar to other values which have been

reported for this type of complex: $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6(\text{PhCCPh}) - 1.37\text{\AA}$,⁷⁷ $\text{Co}_3(\text{CO})_9\text{C}_3\text{HCo}_2(\text{CO})_6 - 1.34\text{\AA}$,¹¹⁰ $\text{Co}_6(\text{CO})_{18}\text{C}_6\text{H}_6 - 1.37\text{\AA}$,¹¹¹ and 1.37\AA ,¹¹² $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6\text{C}_6\text{F}_6 - 1.36\text{\AA}$.¹¹⁵

The position of the hydrogen atoms in this compound are of certain interest but they could not satisfactorily be found by final difference synthesis. The average angle formed between the As-C-C planes and the planes perpendicular to the Co-Co bond is 25.2° and the position of the hydrogen atom attached to the adjacent carbon in relation to this is of significance. It is expected that the C-H bond vector would form a similar angle with the plane perpendicular to the Co-Co bond but in the opposite direction.

The cobalt-acetylenic carbon bonding scheme will now be discussed in detail. As with all other similar compounds, the angle between the cobalt-cobalt vector and the acetylenic carbon-carbon vector is very close to 90° ($\text{Co1-Co2/C1-C2}: 89.9^\circ$, $\text{Co3-Co4/C3-C4}: 91.8^\circ$, $\text{Co5-Co6/C5-C6}: 90.0^\circ$). The novel feature in this bonding however is the fact that the plane of the two acetylenic carbon atoms and the arsenic atom is not perpendicular to the cobalt-cobalt bond. The arsenic atom thus plays a role in repelling one of the two $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$ cobalt atoms and its substituents. Table III-C-3 lists the non-bonded intramolecular contacts to 3.5\AA . The arsenic-cobalt distances are listed. The

TABLE III-C-3.

NON-BONDED INTRAMOLECULAR CONTACTS (Å) FOR TRIS(HEXACARBONYL-
DICOBALT- π -ETHYNYL)ARSINE

As -Co1:	3.387	As -Co3:	3.426	As -Co5:	3.400
Co1-C22:	3.24	Co3-C42:	3.28	Co5-C62:	3.31
Co1-C23:	3.26	Co3-C43:	3.29	Co5-C63:	3.26
Co2-C12:	3.26	Co4-C32:	3.36	Co6-C52:	3.30
Co2-C13:	3.42	Co4-C33:	3.28	Co6-C53:	3.32
C1 -C3 :	3.04	C3 -C5 :	3.08	C1 -C5 :	3.06
C1 -C11:	2.89	C3 -C31:	2.85	C5 -C51:	2.86
C1 -C13:	2.97	C3 -C33:	3.00	C5 -C53:	2.95
C1 -C21:	2.86	C3 -C41:	2.84	C5 -C61:	2.91
C1 -C23:	3.01	C3 -C43:	2.97	C5 -C63:	2.99
C2 -C11:	2.79	C4 -C31:	2.81	C6 -C51:	2.74
C2 -C12:	3.01	C4 -C32:	2.94	C6 -C52:	3.07
C2 -C21:	2.84	C4 -C41:	2.82	C6 -C61:	2.88
C2 -C22:	2.88	C4 -C42:	2.92	C6 -C62:	2.96
C4 -C23:	3.49	C4 -C43:	3.31	C6 -C63:	3.38
C11-C12:	2.68	C31-C32:	2.71	C51-C52:	2.66
C12-C13:	2.93	C32-C33:	2.97	C52-C53:	2.80
C11-C13:	2.78	C31-C33:	2.72	C51-C53:	2.71
C21-C22:	2.64	C41-C42:	2.62	C61-C62:	2.72
C22-C23:	2.83	C42-C43:	2.83	C62-C63:	2.84
C21-C23:	2.77	C41-C43:	2.68	C61-C63:	2.76

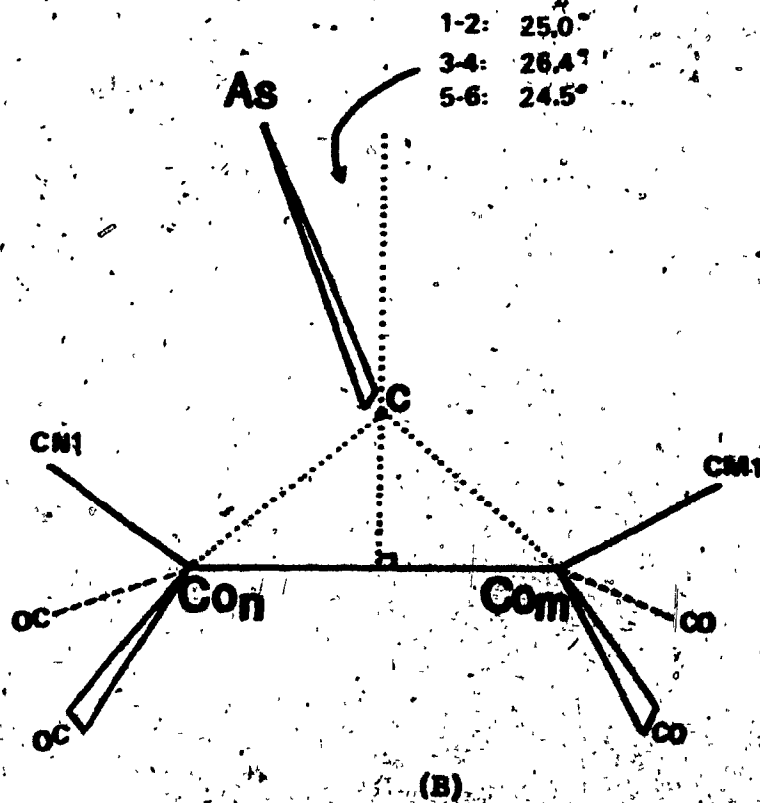
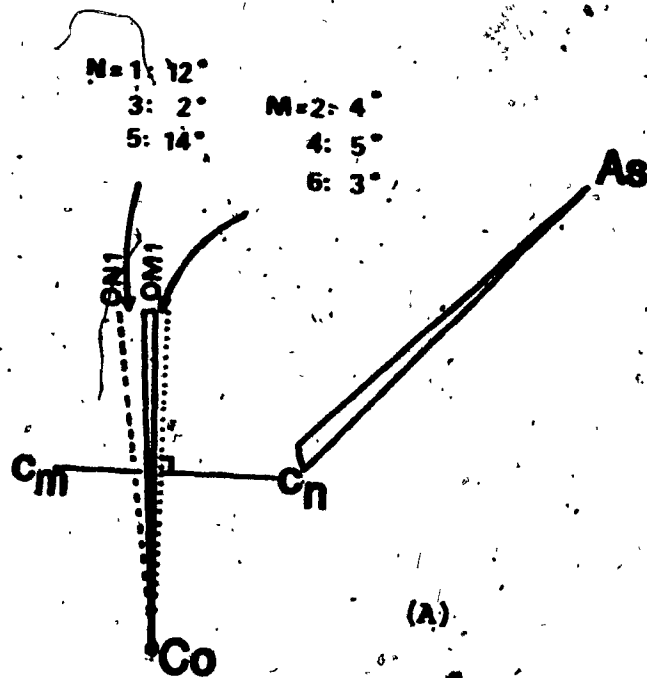
TABLE III-C-3 (CONT'D)

C12-C22:	2.99	C32-C42:	3.09	C52-C62:	3.06
C12-022:	3.40	C32-042:	3.46	C52-062:	3.39
O12-C22:	3.38	O32-C42:	3.49	O52-C62:	3.41
O12-022:	3.40	O32-042:	3.49	O52-062:	3.39
C13-C23:	3.16	C33-C43:	3.08	C53-C63:	3.15
C13-023:	3.45	C33-043:	3.42	C53-063:	3.49
C21-041:	3.30	C41-061:	3.30	C61-021:	3.37
O21-041:	3.19	O41-061:	3.22	O21-061:	3.33
C23-041:	3.45	C43-061:	3.39	O43-061:	3.46

major contacts are observed between carbonyl carbon atoms on the same cobalt atom. Close contacts also exist between these carbonyl carbon atoms and the corresponding acetylenic carbon atoms. Other contacts are significant indicating that the molecule is under considerable steric strain. It is interesting that in spite of all the distortions, the orthogonality of the C-C/Co-Co bonds remains intact. This suggests that this feature is the most inviolable of them all. Figure III-C-2 shows two schematic representations of the molecule, (a) viewed down the Co-Co bond and (b) viewed down the acetylenic bond.

There is a steric interaction between the arsenic atom and the $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$ moiety which results in a twist of the carbonyls about the Co-Co bond. This twist is 4° and 3° for the more remote carbonyl ($\text{C}m1$ where $m = 2$ and 6 respectively) and 12° and 14° in the case of the closest carbonyl ($\text{C}n1$ where $n = 1$ and 5 respectively). There is also a smaller twist in the same direction of the carbonyls on cobalts 3 and 4 although here the more remote carbonyl ($\text{C}41$) is twisted 5° away from the arsenic whereas $\text{C}31$ is only twisted by 2° . Another steric interaction occurs perpendicular to this one and is evidenced by the lengthening of the average acetylenic carbon- $\text{Co}n$ ($n = 1, 3, 5$) bond ($1.981(7)\text{\AA}$) in relation to the average acetylenic carbon- $\text{Co}m$ ($m = 2, 4, 6$) bond ($1.939(1)\text{\AA}$). The carbonyl adjacent to the arsenic atom ($\text{C}n1$) is pushed away from it which results in the bond length

Figure III-C-2. Two schematic representations of tris(hexa-carbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine, a) viewed down the Co-Co bond and b) viewed down the acetylenic bond.



differences observed and in the Com-ConCn1 angle of 150.8° which is significantly greater than the Con-Com-Cn1 angle of 145.8° . These angles straddle the value observed for $\text{Co}_5(\text{CO})_{15}\text{C}_3\text{H}$ (147.9°). 110

Interesting trends are observed in the carbonyl groups themselves which appear to be under the influence of the ligands which are *trans* to themselves in the albeit highly-distorted octahedral co-ordination about the cobalt atoms. The carbonyls which are *trans* to a cobalt atom display the shortest cobalt-carbon bond (average of six - $1.745(12)\text{\AA}$). Of the other two carbonyl types, the carbonyls which are *trans* to the acetylenic carbons bonded to the arsenic atom are longer (average of six - $1.824(12)\text{\AA}$) than those *trans* to the other acetylenic carbon (average of six - $1.790(18)\text{\AA}$). Inspection of Table III-C-1 will show that the individual values confirm the trends observed in these averages in most cases. The carbon-oxygen bond lengths average $1.144(8)\text{\AA}$ and the average angle of bend at the carbonyl carbon is $177.0(4)^\circ$. Both these values are normal.

Table III-C-4 describes the thermal ellipsoids of vibration of the individual atoms in tris(hexacarbonyl-dicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine. It will be noted that the vibrations are generally high and considerably anisotropic. This is not altogether surprising considering the rather free environment of the carbonyl groups on the cobalt fragments

TABLE III-C-4
THERMAL VIBRATION ELLIPSOIDS^a - TRIS(HEXACARBONYLDICOBALT- η -
ETHYNYL) ARSINE

Atom	Axes ^b	Direction Cosines		
As	3.88	0.36499	0.90002	0.23798
	3.24	0.23411	-.33620	0.91221
	2.21	0.90107	-.27737	-.33352
Co1	6.05	-.09650	0.56281	0.82094
	3.79	0.47886	-.69677	0.53393
	2.18	0.87259	0.44469	-.20241
Co2	4.95	-.36611	-.06514	0.92829
	4.21	0.23679	-.97127	0.02517
	3.14	0.89995	0.22888	0.37100
Co3	7.72	-.19996	-.47323	0.85796
	4.75	-.01009	0.87657	0.48117
	2.38	0.97979	-.08764	0.17991
Co4	6.97	0.27865	0.10800	0.95429
	3.29	0.03217	-.99415	0.10306
	2.29	0.95984	0.00214	-.28053
Co5	6.52	0.41636	0.12340	0.90078
	4.54	0.52281	0.77818	-.34821
	2.57	0.74404	-.61580	-.25952
Co6	5.12	-.05027	0.35209	0.93462
	3.34	0.59687	0.76097	-.25461
	3.06	0.80096	-.54494	0.24831
Cl	5.96	0.50798	0.84699	0.15718
	3.26	0.72678	-.32324	-.60613
	1.95	0.46251	-.42204	0.77968
C2	5.27	0.44061	-.89770	0.01129
	4.33	0.50131	0.23548	-.83263
	2.54	0.74473	0.37240	0.55371
C3	4.71	0.27502	-.95525	0.10934
	2.60	0.25476	0.18202	0.94971
	1.39	0.92715	0.23318	-.29342
C4	8.77	0.21604	0.97581	-.03454
	3.95	-.10329	0.05800	0.99296
	0.40	0.97098	-.21079	0.11330
C5	5.31	0.16920	-.82144	0.54457
	3.15	0.42107	0.55987	0.71355
	0.98	0.89105	-.10852	-.44078

TABLE III-C-4 (CONT'D)

C6	5.13	0.89346	0.29503	0.33878
	2.96	-.04072	-.69800	0.71494
	1.89	0.44751	-.65250	-.61162
C11	11.97	0.47880	-.70483	-.52353
	3.74	0.74938	0.63876	-.17488
	1.24	0.45762	-.30855	0.83387
O11	13.92	0.17968	0.96998	0.16371
	9.99	0.94193	-.21780	0.25574
	3.96	-.28374	-.10820	0.95278
C12	7.98	0.07356	0.44656	0.89172
	7.20	0.53239	0.73855	-.41381
	4.63	0.84346	-.50510	0.18330
O12	20.53	0.48327	-.62576	-.61235
	12.53	0.45129	-.42127	0.78664
	2.70	0.75033	0.65647	-.07890
C13	7.45	-.08038	0.67459	0.73382
	6.37	0.95669	-.15460	0.24677
	1.82	0.28004	0.72182	-.63295
O13	11.99	-.01839	0.49129	0.87080
	6.70	0.46910	0.77342	-.42649
	2.89	0.88309	-.40057	0.24456
C21	12.89	0.09713	-.92582	0.36524
	4.71	0.99118	0.12341	0.04881
	2.84	-.09033	0.35726	0.92963
O21	12.61	0.30876	0.92027	0.24015
	8.34	0.95113	-.30017	-.07313
	5.08	-.00483	-.25100	0.96798
C22	12.99	0.51259	0.59182	-.62217
	6.85	-.12949	0.76950	0.62541
	6.15	0.84885	-.24003	0.47092
O22	18.11	0.63792	-.17453	-.75009
	13.69	0.27639	-.85711	0.43461
	5.18	0.71868	0.48466	0.49848
C23	8.79	0.74264	-.17105	-.64751
	5.42	0.66967	0.18298	0.71973
	1.98	-.00479	-.96812	0.25044
O23	11.21	0.53913	0.43462	-.72147
	7.13	0.46837	0.55716	0.68565
	3.51	0.70009	-.70759	0.09674

TABLE III C-4 (CONT'D)

C31	16.94	0.58438	0.88541	-.26155
	4.25	0.52112	-.44184	-.73027
	2.08	0.76212	-.14432	0.63111
O31	20.74	0.23641	0.97050	0.04806
	7.00	0.96341	-.22748	-.14199
	4.94	0.12686	-.07984	0.98870
C32	11.52	-.27539	0.34004	0.89920
	6.96	-.03087	-.93799	0.34531
	4.27	0.96087	0.06746	0.26870
O32	15.43	-.13965	0.08559	0.98650
	11.83	0.18330	0.98130	-.05922
	0.99	0.97315	-.17239	0.15270
C33	24.80	-.15417	-.78087	0.60541
	11.83	0.31519	-.61955	-.71894
	2.41	0.93649	0.08001	0.34148
O33	25.73	0.41891	0.34250	-.84099
	14.58	0.86167	-.44235	0.24896
	5.88	0.28660	0.82886	0.48038
C41	7.02	0.50211	0.69401	0.51587
	4.53	0.70654	-.67334	0.21811
	2.22	0.49877	0.25489	-.82843
O41	9.37	0.21067	-.95252	0.21967
	7.89	0.86733	0.28592	0.40732
	4.32	0.45081	-.10466	-.88647
C42	11.26	0.54005	0.20419	0.81647
	4.94	0.81331	-.37636	-.44383
	2.91	0.21681	0.90369	-.36932
O42	17.40	0.36121	0.32158	0.87526
	6.90	0.02835	-.94202	0.33434
	3.18	0.93204	-.09583	-.34949
C43	12.40	0.27394	-.26938	0.92324
	7.73	0.48613	0.86717	0.10879
	1.95	0.82998	-.41887	-.36851
O43	18.16	0.40867	0.01973	0.91247
	5.94	0.87860	-.27934	-.38745
	3.48	0.24740	0.95999	-.13150
C51	14.35	0.00139	0.54334	0.24848
	7.81	-.04998	-.75350	0.93410
	2.85	0.59550	-.76145	-.25635

TABLE III-C-4 (CONT'D)

O51	18.64	0.74387	0.65271	-.14417
	10.91	0.60796	-.73479	0.18866
	6.34	0.02845	0.18454	0.98241
C52	10.69	0.27267	0.01654	0.96196
	4.29	0.36680	0.92262	-.11979
	2.56	0.88957	-.38536	-.24551
O52	18.76	0.36743	0.00827	0.93001
	8.53	0.87019	0.35619	-.34060
	2.18	0.32861	-.93438	-.13807
C53	18.71	0.60366	0.09018	0.79212
	9.55	0.76953	0.19390	-.60851
	0.05	0.20864	-.97687	-.04766
O53	30.85	0.39148	-.07579	0.91705
	8.74	0.74774	-.55479	-.36502
	3.82	0.53658	0.82853	-.16053
C61	9.94	0.84157	-.00804	-.54009
	5.31	0.24808	0.89380	0.37349
	3.35	0.47965	-.44839	0.75420
O61	16.61	0.58401	0.72999	0.35482
	7.31	0.61982	-.68344	0.38547
	4.85	0.52389	-.00520	-.85177
C62	8.26	-.17064	-.88724	0.42864
	6.95	0.41499	-.45921	-.78548
	2.93	0.89374	0.04393	0.44642
O62	14.73	-.28653	0.26940	0.91943
	9.51	0.94430	0.24185	0.22336
	3.72	0.16203	-.93216	0.32367
C63	8.86	0.83417	0.53623	-.12949
	6.73	0.05767	0.14864	0.97821
	3.64	0.54876	-.83088	0.09304
O63	17.34	0.57725	-.60677	-.63573
	7.13	0.10197	-.68023	0.72586
	4.09	0.87294	0.41124	0.26263

^a Given in the order of major, median and minor axes.

^b Axes lengths are in units of B where the root mean square displacement $(\bar{U}^2)^{1/2} = (B/8\pi^2)^{1/2}$.

for example. Table III-C-5 gives a list of intermolecular contacts to 3.5\AA . It can be seen that the molecules are quite independent, no contacts being observed less than 3.0\AA .

Finally, Figure III-C-3 shows a view of the packing of the four molecules in the unit cell. This is a view down the a axis of the monoclinic. From this view, the tilt of the $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$ units away from the arsenic atom is clearly visible as well as the geometry of the cobalt carbonyl fragment.

TABLE III-C-5

INTERMOLECULAR CONTACTS (\AA) FOR TRIS(HEXACARBONYLDICOBALT- π -
ETHYNYL) ARSINE ^{a,b}

C6 -O23: 3.43 VI	O32-O53: 3.23 I	C52-O12: 3.43 V
O11-C23: 3.09 VIII	O41-O43: 3.36 III	O52-O12: 3.38 V
O11-O23: 3.07 VIII	C42-O61: 3.46 III	O52-C32: 3.47 VI
O11-O51: 3.40 IV	O42-O63: 3.12 I	O52-O32: 3.37 VI
O12-O21: 3.36 VIII	O43-C13: 3.27 VI	O52-C42: 3.14 VI
C13-O41: 3.30 VIII	O43-O13: 3.16 VI	O52-O42: 3.06 VI
O13-O41: 3.31 VIII	C43-O61: 3.27 III	O61-C42: 3.46 III
O21-C62: 3.46 II	O43-O41: 3.36 III	O61-C43: 3.27 III
O21-O62: 3.36 II	O43-O61: 3.31 III	O61-O43: 3.31 III
C31-O22: 3.40 VII	O51-O11: 3.40 IV	C61-O63: 3.33 II
O31-O22: 3.05 VII	C51-O23: 3.39 VI	O61-O63: 3.34 II
O31-C51: 3.16 IV	O51-O23: 3.36 VI	O62-O13: 3.47 VI
O31-O51: 3.18 IV	C51-O31: 3.16 IV	C62-O21: 3.46 II
O32-C11: 3.20 I	O51-O31: 3.18 IV	O62-O21: 3.36 II
O32-O11: 3.14 I	O51-O51: 3.08 IV	O63-C61: 3.33 II
C32-O53: 3.45 I	O52-C4 : 3.39 VI	O63-O61: 3.34 II

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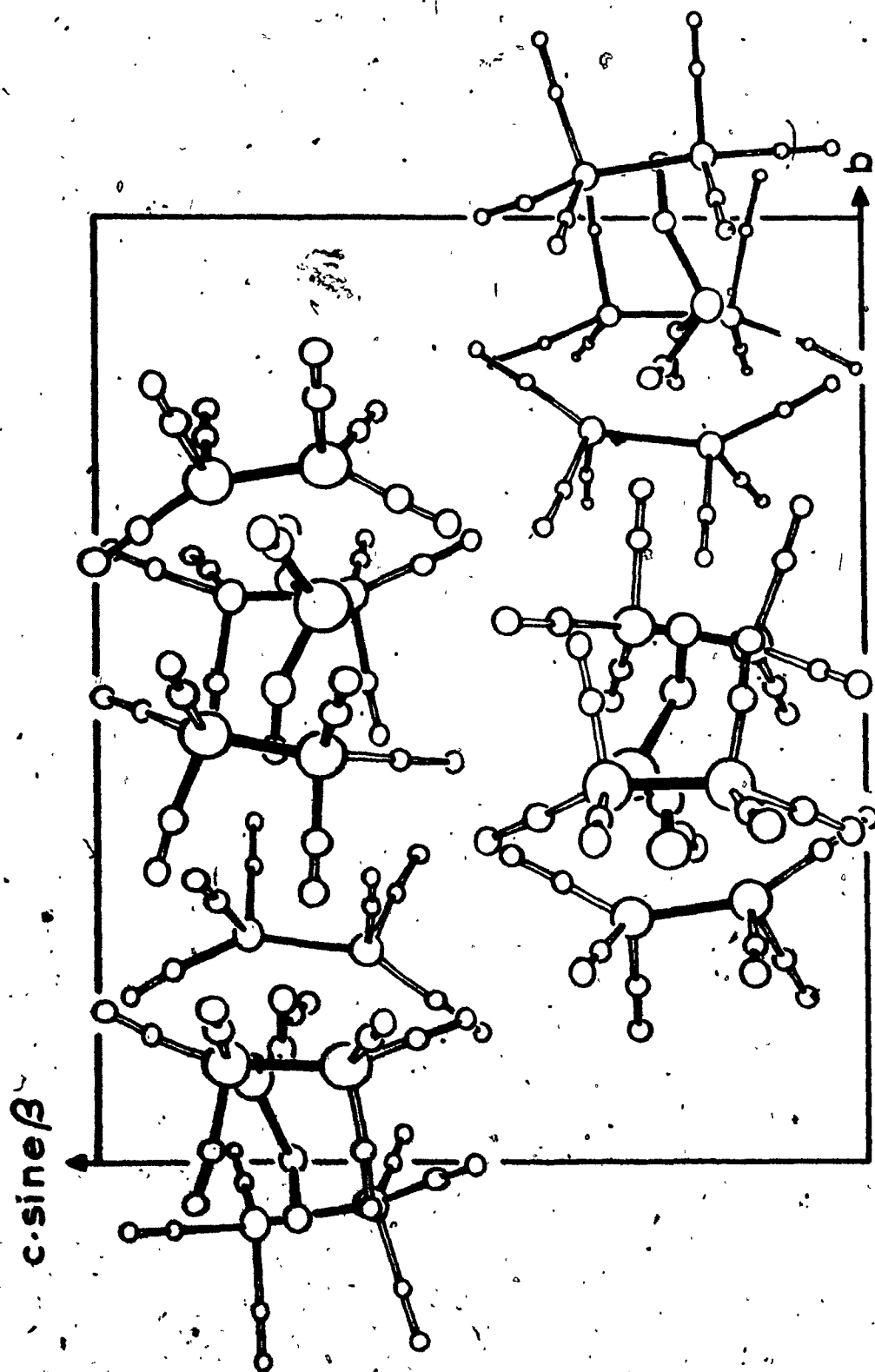
Only atomic contacts less than 3.5 \AA are quoted.

^b

The following transformations give the position of the second atom listed relative to the first which has the co-ordinates (x, y, z) listed in Table A-2, Appendix A:

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|----------------------|---|
| I. 1 + x, y, z | V -x, $\frac{1}{2} + y, \frac{1}{2} - z$ |
| II -x, 1 - y, -z | VI 1 - x, $\frac{1}{2} + y, \frac{1}{2} - z$ |
| III 1 - x, 1 - y, -z | VII 1 + x, $\frac{1}{2} - y, \frac{1}{2} + z$ |
| IV -x, 1 - y, 1 - z | VIII x, $\frac{1}{2} - y, \frac{1}{2} + z$ |

Figure III-C-3. A projection down the a axis of the monoclinic cell showing the four molecules of tris(hexacarbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)-arsine.



CHAPTER IV. THE CRYSTAL AND MOLECULAR STRUCTURE OF
 μ -{BIS(DIPHENYLPHOSPHINO)METHANE}- μ -
(DIPHENYLACETYLENE)TETRACARBONYLDICOBALT
AND THE DI- μ -{BIS(DIPHENYLARSINO)METHANE}-
 μ -(DIPHENYLACETYLENE)DICARBONYLDICOBALT
1,2-DICHLOROETHANE SOLVATE COMPLEX.

SECTION A. INTRODUCTION

1. General Considerations

In Chapter III, the bonding of tertiary group VB ligands to transition metal carbonyls was discussed somewhat superficially. In this chapter, potentially bidentate ligands of phosphorus and arsenic will be reviewed from a structural point of view. It is interesting to compare the bites of the various ligands (phosphorus-phosphorus or arsenic-arsenic distances) and correlate these with the various bonding modes exhibited by the complexes they form. Two reviews have recently been published in this field.^{141,142} There exists also a review¹⁴³ on the steric effects in bis-chelate complexes of molybdenum and tungsten.

Potentially most organic ligands containing more than one phosphorus and/or arsenic atom are bidentate.

This is not the case in complexes with ligands of the general form R_2P-PR_2 because the small 'bite' (P-P distance of ~ 2.24 Å) which renders sigma bonding of both phosphorus atoms to the same metal atom impossible. These ligands are usually found to be bridging two transition metal carbonyl units as in the complexes $(CO)_5Mo((C_2H_5)_2P-PC_2H_5)_2Mo(CO)_5$,¹⁴⁴ $(CO)_4Fe((CH_3)_2P-PC_2H_5)_2Fe(CO)_4$,¹⁴⁵ and $(CO)_3Ni((C_6H_5)_2P-PC_2H_5)_2Ni(CO)_3$,¹⁴⁶ which have all been studied by X-ray crystallographic structure determination. Carty *et al.*¹²⁰ have studied the reaction of $Co_2(CO)_8$ with $(C_6H_5)_2P-C\equiv C-P(C_6H_5)_2$ and have found that the unsaturated linkage does not π bond to the cobalt carbonyl. Instead, the linear $P-C\equiv C-P$ skeleton joins two $Co_2(CO)_7$ units in the product $Co_2(CO)_7((C_6H_5)_2P-C-C-P(C_6H_5)_2)Co_2(CO)_7$. These units retain the two bridging carbonyls of the precursor $Co_2(CO)_8$.

2. Complexes Containing $R_2MCH_2CH_2MR_2$

The most common complexes to have been studied by X-ray crystallography are those containing ligands of the form $R_2MCH_2CH_2MR_2$ where $M = As, P$. The geometry of the ligand is such that it is ideally suited to act as a bidentate chelating ligand. Many complexes of this type are known. This ligand has also been shown to bridge two substituted transition metal units. The complex $(CuCl((C_6H_5)_2PCH_2CH_2P(C_6H_5)_2)((C_6H_5)_2PCH_2))_2 \cdot 2C_3H_6O$ contains

a diphenylphosphinoethane bridge, the carbon-carbon bond of which contains a center of inversion which relates the two halves of the molecule.¹⁴⁷ Another related copper complex, $\{Cu(N_3)((C_6H_5)_2PCH_2CH_2P(C_6H_5)_2)(C_6H_5)_2PCH_2\}_2$ ¹³³ exhibits the same bonding pattern (the center of inversion is absent however). In both complexes, the copper atoms are tetrahedrally co-ordinated, two of the co-ordination sites being occupied by the ligand acting as a bidentate chelate.

Molybdenum forms complexes with 1,2-bis-
/(diphenylphosphino)ethane. Drew¹⁴⁸ reported the structure determination of a seven co-ordinate capped octahedral structure $MoBr_2(CO)_3((C_6H_5)_2PCH_2CH_2P(C_6H_5)_2)$ in which the bidentate ligand spans approximately octahedral sites. In another complex, $MoOCl((C_6H_5)_2PCH_2CH_2P(C_6H_5)_2)(ZnCl_3 \cdot CH_3COCH_3)$,¹⁴⁹ the two bidentate chelates are *trans* to one another in a roughly octahedral geometry. The oxygen and chlorine atoms are consequently also *trans*.

Rhenium forms a complex in which the two bidentate ligands $(C_6H_5)_2PCH_2CH_2P(C_6H_5)_2$ are *cis* to each other. In this complex $(ReH_3((C_6H_5)_2PCH_2CH_2P(C_6H_5)_2)_2)$,¹⁵⁰ the P-Re-P angles average 82.5° . The complex $ReH_3((C_6H_5)_2PCH_2CH_2P(C_6H_5)_2)(P(C_6H_5)_3)_2$ is also known.¹⁵¹ Tully and Ginsberg¹⁵² have reported infrared and nmr studies of the complex *trans*- $ReI(N_2)((C_6H_5)_2PCH_2CH_2P(C_6H_5)_2)_2$.

Several complexes of ruthenium with $R_2PCH_2CH_2PR_2$ have been studied by X-ray crystallography. The *trans*- isomer of $RuCl_2((C_6H_5)CH_2PCH_2CH_2PCH_2CH_2P(C_6H_5)_2)_2$ ¹⁵³ as well as the ionic $Ru(NO)((C_6H_5)_2PCH_2CH_2P(C_6H_5)_2)_2^+$ ¹⁵⁴ have been reported. In this latter species, the four phosphorus atoms of the two bidentate ligands describe the base of a pyramid with the NO group at the apex. The NO ligand completes the *penta*-co-ordination of the ruthenium atom. Distorted octahedral hydride complexes of both ruthenium and osmium with σ bonded naphthyl have also been studied by X-ray crystallography.^{155,156}

Sacco¹⁵⁷ has reported the only attempt at the reaction of $Co_2(CO)_8$ with a ligand of this type. An ionic complex postulated as $\{Co_2(CO)_4((C_6H_5)_2PCH_2CH_2(C_6H_5)_2)_3\}^+$ $\{Co(CO)_4\}_2^-$ was isolated. A square planar complex of Rh(I) has been reported by Hall *et al.*¹⁵⁸ The X-ray structure determination of this complex $(Rh((C_6H_5)_2PCH_2CH_2P(C_6H_5)_2)_2)$ displayed a rhodium-phosphorus distance of 2.306 Å.

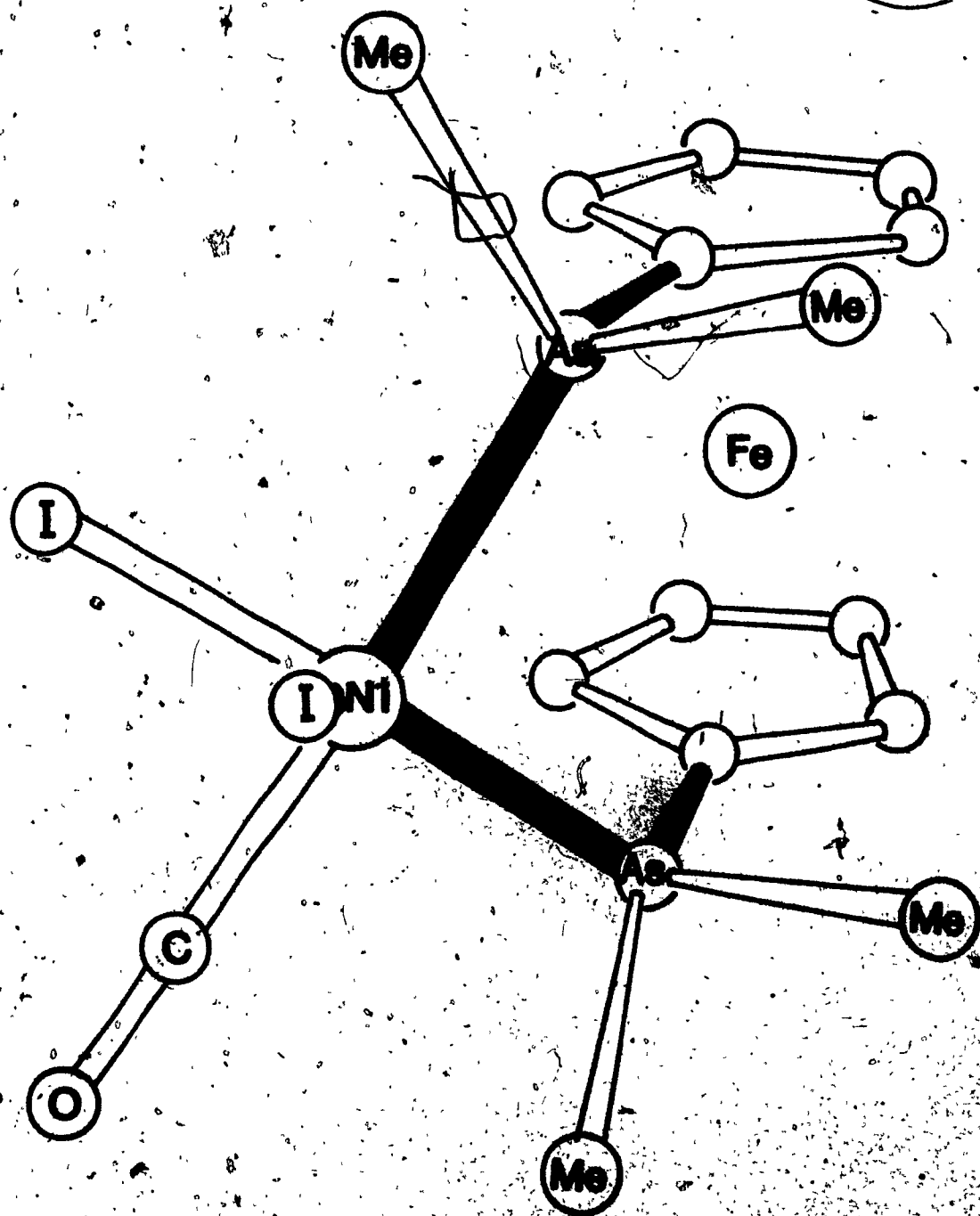
Rhodium and iridium both form molecular oxygen cationic complexes with two $Ph_2PCH_2CH_2PPh_2$ ligands (where Ph abbreviates the phenyl group (C_6H_5)) in a relative *cis* configuration. The former complex acts as a reversible oxygen carrier but the latter does not display this characteristic. An X-ray crystallographic structure determination¹³⁴ of both species was undertaken to attempt an explanation

of this difference. The hexafluorophosphate salts were prepared and their structure determined. In both complexes the molecular oxygen is π bonded, the two oxygen atoms occupying *cis*-octahedral sites. The phosphorus-carbon distances average $1.83(3)\text{\AA}$ and the 'bite' (P-P distance) is $3.13 \pm 0.03\text{\AA}$.

Nickel forms an interesting structure with an unusual ligand which is similar to the $R_2MCH_2CH_2MR_2$ ligand type. The complex diiodocarbonylferrocene-1,1'-bis(dimethylarsine)nickel(II) has been studied by X-ray crystallography.¹³⁷ The molecule is shown in Figure IV-A-1. The arsenic-arsenic distance is 3.036\AA , compatible with the 'bite' for other ligands of this type. This ligand can adopt two different conformations.¹⁵⁹ In the first, the cyclopentadienyl rings are staggered and the two arsenics, the iron and the nickel atoms are co-planar. In the second, the two rings are eclipsed and this causes a steric strain which results in a deviation from co-planarity of the four above-mentioned atoms. The former conformation is favoured for larger metal atoms (arsenic-metal-arsenic angles much larger than 90°) whereas with smaller atoms, like nickel, the latter conformation is preferred (As-M-As angle of ca. 90°).

In the complex diiodocarbonylferrocene-1,1'-bis(dimethylarsine)nickel(II), the eclipsed conformation is indeed preferred as can be seen in Figure IV-A-1. The As-Ni-As

Figure IV-A-1. The molecular configuration of diiodo-
carbonylferrocene-1,1'-bis(dimethylarsine)-
nickel(II).



angle is $93.49(8)^{\circ}$ and the Ni-As-C(cyclopentadienyl-substituted carbon) angles average $118.0(4)^{\circ}$. This type of bonding pattern is as expected for the small nickel atom. The dihedral angles between the plane containing the nickel and the two arsenic atoms and the planes containing the arsenics and the cyclopentadienyl-substituted carbon atom of each ring average 45.6° .

Finally, two complexes of palladium with this type of ligand are worthy of mention. The complex $\text{PdCl}_2 \cdot (\text{PhCH}_2\text{PCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{PCH}_2\text{Ph})_2$ ¹³⁵ has a center of symmetry and a P-Pd-P bond angle of 85° . The average phosphorus-ethane carbon bond length was found to be $1.839(12)\text{\AA}$. Beran and Palenik¹⁶⁰ have reported a study of the linkage isomerization of thiocyanate complexes. The X-ray crystallographic structure determination of $\text{Pd}(\text{Ph}_2\text{PCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{PPh}_2)(\text{SCN})(\text{NCS})$ revealed that one of the SCN moieties is bonded through the nitrogen atom and the other through the sulphur atom in this square-planar complex. A distinct *trans* influence is observed in this compound. The palladium-phosphorus distance ($2.260(4)\text{\AA}$) *trans* to the isothiocyanate is longer than that *trans* to the thiocyanate ($2.245(4)\text{\AA}$). This probably reflects the difference in the electronegativities of nitrogen and sulphur atoms.

Trans influence has also been observed in chromium and molybdenum carbonyl complexes with ligands of the

type $(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{MCFRCF}_2\text{M}(\text{CH}_3)_2$ where $\text{M} = \text{P}, \text{As}$ and $\text{R} = \text{H}, \text{CF}_3$. Four such complexes have been analyzed by X-ray crystallography.¹⁶¹ In all complexes, the R group occupies an equatorial position with respect to the five-membered chelate ring. The C-C bond distances are unusually short (as low as 1.30 Å) and this is explained in terms of an ionic contribution to the structures in which C-C character is required.

A full paper¹⁶² has appeared on the X-ray structure determination of the complex $((\text{CH}_3)_2\text{AsCHFCF}_2\text{As}(\text{CH}_3)_2)\text{Mo}(\text{CO})_4$. The As-Mo-As bond angle is 81.9° . The Mo-C (carbonyl) distances *trans* to each other average 2.02(1) Å whereas those *trans* to an arsenic atom average 1.98(1) Å. Cotton and Kraihanzel¹⁶³ have explained this in terms of the fact that carbonyl is a better π acceptor than As. Thus back-donation to a carbonyl carbon *trans* to As is expected to be greater than that *trans* to the carbonyl carbon with which it is competing. Thus the bond in the former case is shorter and stronger. The authors of the X-ray crystallographic study on $((\text{CH}_3)_2\text{AsCHFCF}_2\text{As}(\text{CH}_3)_2)\text{Mo}(\text{CO})_4$ have also noted that the Mo-As distance is shorter than the sum of van der Waal's radii. According to them, this is due to back-donation of electrons from Mo to As ($d_\pi \rightarrow d_\pi$ bonding).

3. Complexes with $(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{AsC}-\text{C}(\text{As}(\text{CH}_3)_2)\text{CF}_2\text{CF}_2$

Cullen and Einstein have been actively involved in the study of iron and cobalt carbonyl complexes with the ligand tetrafluorocyclobutenebis(dimethylarsine), $(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{AsC}-\text{C}(\text{As}(\text{CH}_3)_2)\text{CF}_2\text{CF}_2$ (abbreviated ffars). Cullen has recently published a review¹⁶⁴ on these compounds. We shall first examine the iron-ffars complexes. Subsequently we shall review the cobalt carbonyl complexes more thoroughly from a structural point of view.

The ffars ligand is perhaps the most versatile of all the bidentate chelating ligands discussed in this Introduction. For example, the ligand has been shown to bridge two iron atoms, act as a bidentate chelate with one iron and behave as a monodentate ligand also with iron.

By the ultraviolet irradiation of a solution of $\text{Fe}_3(\text{CO})_{12}$ and ffars,¹⁶⁵ the product $\text{Fe}_3(\text{CO})_{10}(\text{ffars})$ was recovered and subjected to single crystal X-ray structure determination.¹⁶⁶ The complex is such that the two equatorial carbonyls on the equivalent iron atoms in $\text{Fe}_3(\text{CO})_{12}$ have been replaced by the diarsine. The ligand is thus spanning an Fe-Fe bond (2.522(7)Å) with an arsenic-arsenic 'bite' of 4.08Å. This bridge does not seriously affect the Fe-Fe bond length (2.56(1)Å) in the parent $\text{Fe}_3(\text{CO})_{12}$.¹⁶⁷

The complex $\text{Fe}_2(\text{CO})_6(\text{ffars})$ has been examined structurally by Einstein and Trotter.¹⁶⁸ In this complex the diarsine does not span an iron-iron bond. Rather, the ligand acts as a bidentate chelate to one $\text{Fe}(\text{CO})_3$ unit (As-Fe-As angle of 86°) whereas the other $\text{Fe}(\text{CO})_3$ unit appears to π bond to the olefinic carbon-carbon linkage. The ligand is bent in this complex (probably due to the unusual bonding mode) and the two iron atoms are separated by 2.88\AA , which is rather long compared to the average Fe-Fe (non-bridged) distance of 2.67\AA in $\text{Fe}_3(\text{CO})_{12}$.¹⁶⁷

Finally, the ffars ligand (or rather a modified version thereof) can also act as a monodentate 'dangling ligand'. Indeed the reaction of $\text{Fe}(\text{CO})_5$ with $\text{Ph}_2\text{PC}(\text{As}(\text{CH}_3)_2)\text{CF}_2\text{CF}_2$ has resulted in the replacement of one carbonyl with the ligand bonded through the phosphorus atom.¹⁶⁹ The preference for bonding through phosphorus cannot be due to electronegativity differences between As and P (they are essentially the same), nor to steric crowding which would have favoured arsenic. The explanation given is that the presence of the phenyl groups on the phosphorus atom enhances the $d_\pi \rightarrow d_\pi$ bonding from filled d orbitals of iron to the empty phosphorus d orbitals.

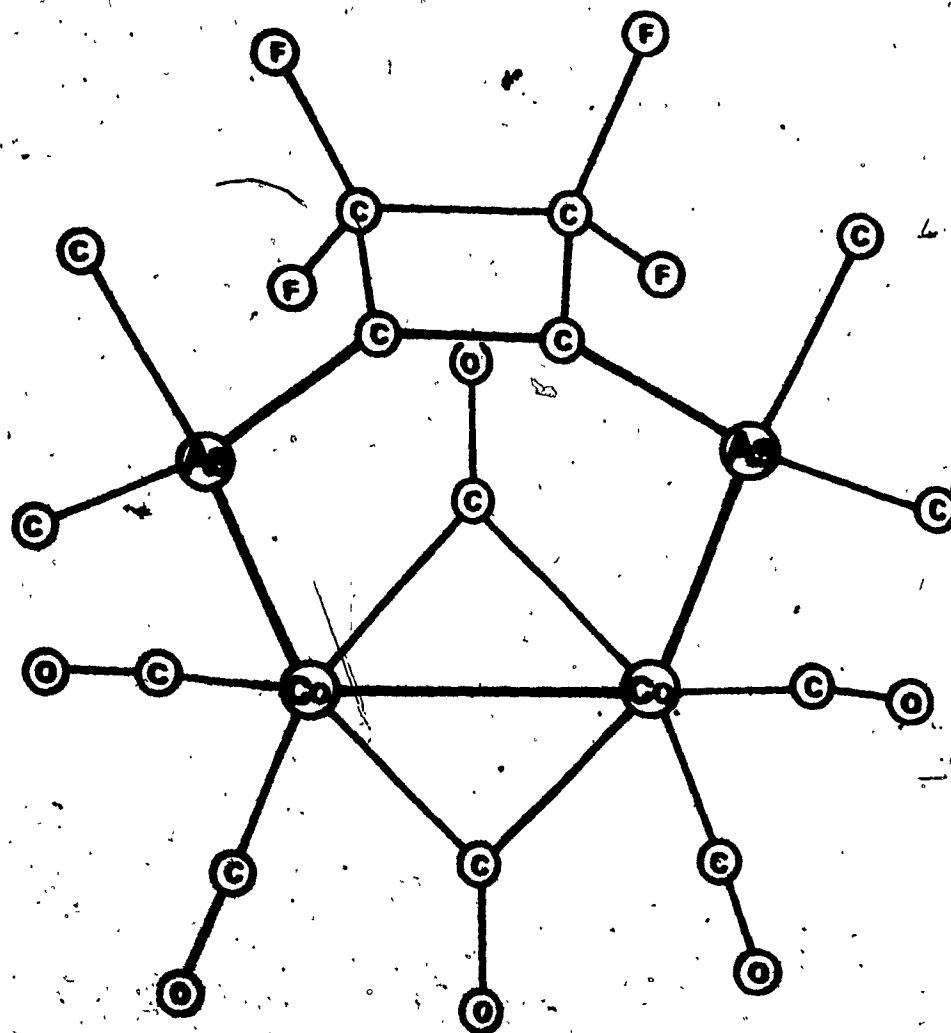
The ffars ligand has also been observed to split at an arsenic-carbon (olefinic) bond. When this happens, the $\text{As}(\text{CH}_3)_2$ moiety acts as a bridge between the

iron atoms and the $(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{AsC}-\text{CCF}_2\text{CF}_2$ residue does the same. The latter unit also bonds to an iron atom through a π interaction. Thus complexes of the general form $\text{Fe}_3(\text{CO})_9 \cdot (\text{R}_2\text{AsC}-\text{CCF}_2\text{CF}_2)(\text{AsR}_2)$ have been synthesized and studied by X-ray crystallography.^{140,170,171}

The ffars ligand has been shown to span a cobalt-cobalt bond in four complexes which have been studied by X-ray crystallography. $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{AsC}-\text{C}(\text{As}(\text{CH}_3)_2)\text{CF}_2\text{CF}_2$ has been synthesized and subjected to structure analysis.^{172,173} A schematic representation of the complex can be seen in Figure IV-A-2. This compound can be said to be derived from dicobaltoctacarbonyl by replacement of a terminal carbonyl ligand from each cobalt atom with the bidentate ligand. Thus the two bridging carbonyl ligands remain. The cobalt-cobalt bond, triply bridged, is $2.483(4)\text{\AA}$. The 'bite' is 4.064\AA . The cobalt-arsenic distances are $2.339(4)$ and $2.336(4)\text{\AA}$ respectively, quite amenable with the sum of Pauling's metallic radius for Co (1.16\AA) and the covalent radius of As (1.18\AA). The Co-C (carbonyl) bond lengths range from $1.91(2)$ to $1.95(2)\text{\AA}$ for bridging groups and from $1.79(3)$ to $1.83(3)\text{\AA}$ for the terminal carbonyls.

By heating this complex in hexane, a rearrangement product has been obtained¹⁷⁴ which involves the dimerization of the cyclobutene residues. The two liberated dimethylarsine residues each link two cobalt atoms.

Figure IV-A-2. A schematic representation of the molecular geometry of tetrafluorocyclobutene-bis-(dimethylarsine)hexacarbonyldicobalt(0).



The first cobalt atoms each have three terminal carbonyl ligands and they themselves link the aforementioned dimethylarsino moiety (Co-As: 2.391(5)Å) with a similar moiety on the dimerized cyclobutene (Co-As: 2.323(6)Å). The second cobalt atoms are linked by a metal-metal bond (2.450(9)Å) and a carbonyl bridge and each carries a terminal carbonyl ligand. There are also π interactions between the olefinic bonds in the dimerized ligand and each of these latter cobalt atoms.

The ffars ligand has also been recently shown to form bridging complexes with cobalt clusters. The crystal structure of ethylidyneheptacarbonyl- μ -(1,2-bis-(dimethylarsino)tetrafluorocyclobutene)-triangular-tricobalt has been reported.^{175,176} In this complex, originating from $\text{CH}_3\text{CCo}_3(\text{CO})_9$ with ffars, the ligand can be thought of as replacing two terminal carbonyls, one on each cobalt. A carbonyl bridge is present. The two Co-Co bonds which are not bridged by the ligand are 2.479(2) and 2.470(2)Å whereas that which is bridged is 2.440(1)Å. The cobalt-arsenic distances average 2.347(2)Å. The sum of the covalent radii is 2.342Å.

If the complex $\text{CF}_3\text{CCo}_3(\text{CO})_9$ is treated with ffars,¹⁷⁵ a rearrangement occurs and a tetrahedron of cobalt atoms is formed with two diarsine ligands bridging alternate sides. An X-ray crystallographic structure determination of di- μ -(1,2-bis(dimethylarsino)tetrafluorocyclobutene)-

octacarbonyl-*tetrahedro*-tetracobalt¹⁷⁷ revealed that there were weak but significant interactions between some carbonyl groups and adjacent non-bonded cobalt atoms (Co-C-O angles of 159, 161 and 159°). The complex is devoid of bridging carbonyl groups. Crystallographic symmetry restrictions afford but one determined bridged Co-Co distance (2.446(2)Å) and two unbridged analogs (2.343(2) and 2.510(2)Å). The differences seem random. The average As-Co distance is 2.274(4)Å, considerably shorter than the sum of covalent radii for As and Co. These unusual features may all be due to the carbonyl-cobalt interactions or perhaps they can be attributed to the fact that the complex does not possess bridging carbonyl ligands.

4. Complexes with *o*-phenylenebis(dimethylarsine)

The best known of the diarsine ligands is likely *o*-phenylenebis(dimethylarsine) (diars). A summary of the ligands of this type that exist has been published.¹⁷⁸ Feltham and Silverthorn¹⁷⁹ have published a paper in which they claim that there is no spectroscopic evidence for $d_{\pi} + d_{\pi}$ bonding between the metal and the diars ligand in complexes of Cr, Co and Fe in their higher oxidation states.

Nickel,¹³⁸ gold¹³⁹ and cobalt¹³⁸ all form *trans*-bis-(*o*-phenylenebis(dimethylarsine)) dihalogen cationic

complexes which have been studied by X-ray crystallography. The ligand in all these complexes acts as a bidentate chelate. In both the cobalt and nickel complexes, the plane of the substituted phenyl ring makes an angle of 9° with that of the two arsenic atoms and the metal. In the gold diiodo-iodide salt, however, the angle is 28° . For the cobalt chloride salt, the As-Co-As angle is 86.6° and the cobalt-arsenic bond length $2.334(3)\text{\AA}$. Similar results ($88.0(1)^\circ$ and $2.341(6)\text{\AA}$ respectively) were obtained from a single crystal X-ray crystallographic structure determination of the perchlorate salt of the same cation.¹⁸⁰

Another complex of cobalt with diars has been synthesized and its structure determined by X-ray crystallography.¹⁸¹ Bis-(*o*-phenylenebis(dimethylarsine))-cobalt(II) perchlorate shows two equivalent $2.30(1)\text{\AA}$ Co-As bond lengths and an As-Co-As angle of $86.2(4)^\circ$ for the crystallographically-unique part of the cation.

5. Complexes with Other Bidentate Chelating Ligands

Bidentate ligands with longer carbon chains between the *sigma* donor atoms have been synthesized and complexes have been studied. The complex tris(dimethylarsinopropyl)phosphine cyanonickel perchlorate has been investigated crystallographically.¹⁸² The nickel displays

a trigonal bipyramidal configuration with the phosphorus atom occupying an axial site and the cyanide occupying the other axial site. The distance between the arsenic atoms is now sufficient for the ligand to span the equatorial (120°) sites.

In the complex $\text{Ni}(\text{Ph}_2\text{PCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{PPh}_2)\text{Cl}_2$, the ligand occupies two sites of a tetrahedral nickel environment.¹⁸³ When the ligand is further lengthened, a *pseudo-square planar* geometry is preferred with the ligand now spanning a *trans* configuration.¹⁸⁴ The P-Ni-P angle in $\text{Ni}(\text{Ph}_2\text{PCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{PPh}_2)\text{I}_2$ is 162° .

6. Complexes with $\text{R}_2\text{MCH}_2\text{MR}_2$

Complexes with ligands of the general form $\text{R}_2\text{MCH}_2\text{MR}_2$ have received relatively little attention although some X-ray crystallographic studies have recently appeared. When M = phosphorus, a complex $\text{Mo}(\text{CO})_4(\text{Ph}_2\text{PCH}_2\text{PPh}_2)$ has been synthesized and an X-ray structure determination has been accomplished.¹⁸⁵ The co-ordination about the molybdenum is distorted octahedral, the P-Mo-P angle measuring $67.3(1)^\circ$. The Mo-P-C-P ring was planar with an average Mo-P-C angle of $96.9(3)^\circ$ and a P-C-P angle of $95.6(4)^\circ$. The Mo-P bond length was shorter than generally accepted for a single bond and this was attributed to $d_\pi \rightarrow d_\pi$ back-bonding. The Mo-C

(carbonyl) bond *trans* to a phosphorus atom (1.93Å) was found to be shorter than that *trans* to a carbonyl (2.04Å). It was claimed that this was also a result of $d_{\pi} \rightarrow d_{\pi}$ back-bonding.

A complex bis[bis(dicyclohexylphosphino)-methane]nickel was studied¹³⁶ and the two Ni-P-C-P ring systems were again found to be planar. The phosphorus-methylene carbon bond length averaged 1.864(6)Å and the P-C-P angle was 96.4(3)°. The Ni-P-C angles averaged 92.9(2)°. The cyclohexyl substituents were in the chair conformation.

The ligand bis(diphenylarsino)methane has been found, in a molybdenum seven-co-ordinate capped octahedral complex, $\text{Mo(CO)}_2(\text{Ph}_2\text{AsCH}_2\text{AsPh}_2)_2\text{Br}_2$, to be both monodentate and bidentate.^{186,187} The monodentate ligand is 'dangling', the Mo-As distance showing some degree of double bond character. It was pointed out that in the complex $\text{Mo(CO)}_4(\text{Ph}_2\text{PCH}_2\text{PPh}_2)$, the four-membered ring was planar. The bidentate ligand in the complex $\text{Mo(CO)}_2(\text{Ph}_2\text{AsCH}_2\text{AsPh}_2)_2\text{Br}_2$ is bent about the line joining the two arsenic atoms. The 'bite' is 2.88Å whereas the As-As distance in the 'dangling' ligand is 3.28Å. In the bidentate ligand, the Mo-As-C angles average 98° whereas the angle at the methylene carbon is 90°. In the monodentate diarsine, this angle is 116.5°. The angle As-Mo-As is 66.7(2)°.

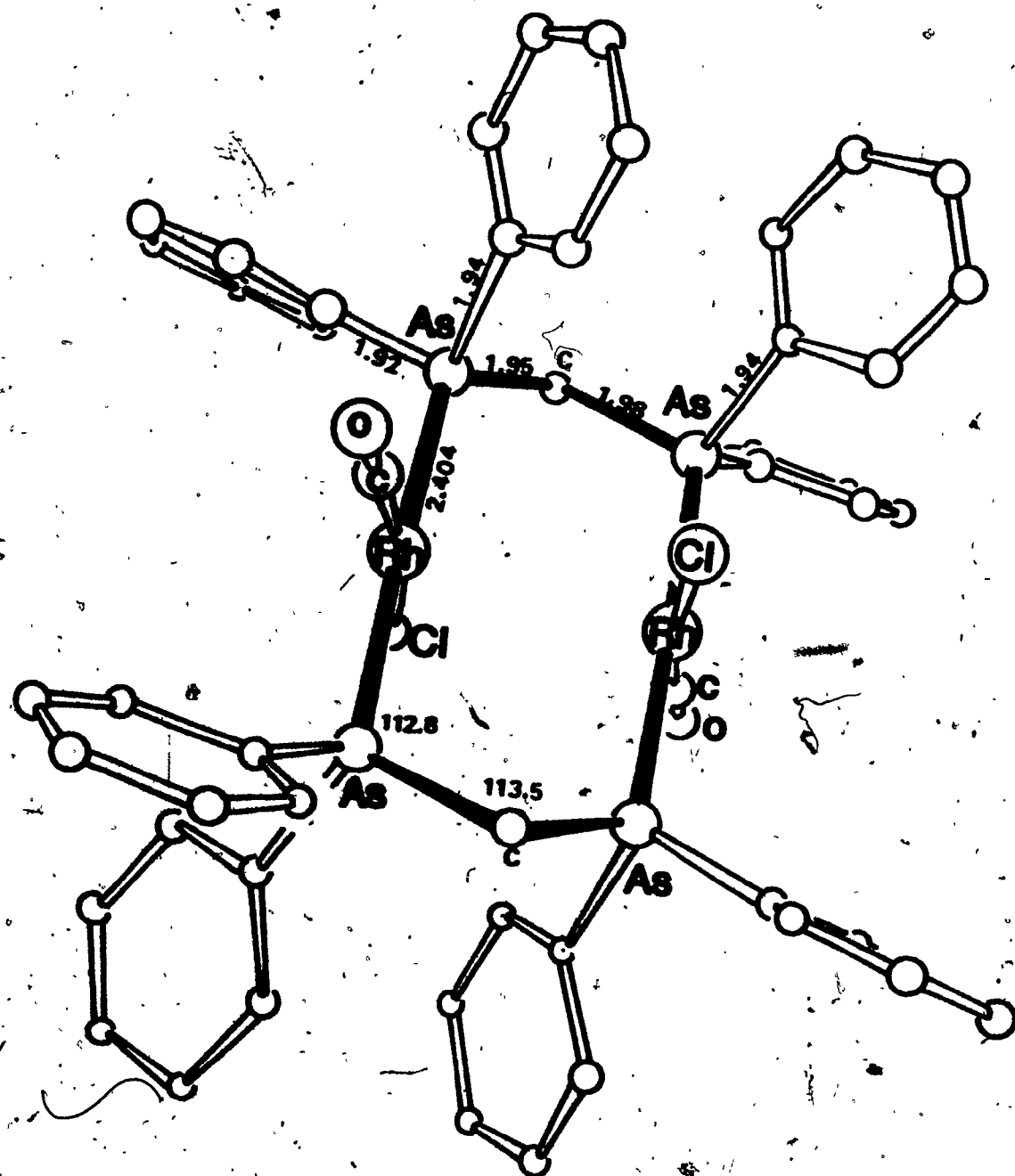
Steric strain is said to be responsible for

the bend in the bidentate ligand. The dihedral angle between the plane described by the molybdenum and the two arsenics and the plane described by the methylene carbon and the two arsenics is 68° . The average As-C (phenyl) distance is 2.03\AA and the average As-C (methylene) distance is $1.97 \pm 0.03\text{\AA}$. The crystal structure of a tungsten complex, $\text{W(CO)}_3(\text{Ph}_2\text{AsCH}_2\text{AsPh}_2)_2\text{Br}_2$, made in a similar fashion, was also reported.¹⁸⁶ In this complex, both diarsine ligands act as monodentates.

The ligand bis(diphenylarsino)methane has also been shown to bridge two transition metals in the complex $((\text{C}_6\text{F}_5)_2\text{Hg})_2(\text{Ph}_2\text{AsCH}_2\text{AsPh}_2)$.¹⁸⁸ There exists a crystallographic two-fold axis at the methylene carbon which relates the two halves of the molecule. The As-C-As angle is $113(3)^\circ$ whereas the As-C (methylene) distance is $2.01(5)\text{\AA}$.

In none of the above cases has the ligand been shown to bridge a metal-metal bond. The only compound that might display this type of bonding was studied using the techniques of X-ray crystallography by J.T. Mague.^{189,190} The Rh-Rh distance in the compound di- μ -bis(diphenylarsino)-methane-bis(*trans*-chlorocarbonylrhodium(I)), shown in Figure IV-A-3, is 3.396\AA and it is dubious whether this constitutes a metal-metal bond at all. It is preferable to state that the complex consists of two Rh(CO)Cl units held together by two diarsine ligands.

Figure IV-A-3. The molecular configuration of the complex
 $(\text{RhCl}(\text{CO})(\text{Ph}_2\text{AsCH}_2\text{AsPh}_2))_2$.



The As-C-As bond angle of $113.5(4)^\circ$ affords a rather large 'bite' (3.29\AA) for the ligand in this complex. The ligand is again bent (along the line joining the arsenic atoms), the dihedral angle between the plane containing the two arsenics and the methylene carbon and the plane containing the two arsenics and the two rhodium atoms is 54.3° . Other relevant bond lengths and angles are given on Figure IV-A-3.

As yet there has been no report of the crystallographic structure determination of a cobalt complex of bis(diphenylarsino)methane or bis(diphenylphosphino)methane. In the light of the previous discussion, the type of bonding (monodentate, chelating or bridging) is of some interest. The research work reported in this chapter involves the structures of two complexes which have an acetylenic linkage (diphenylacetylene) instead of the two bridging carbonyl ligands. These linkages have been reviewed in Chapter III, Section A and it was considered appropriate to close this introduction with a study of various structural reports of diphenylacetylene complexes of transition metals.

7. Complexes with Diphenylacetylene

Gusev and Struchkov have published a review,¹⁹¹ a large portion of which is dedicated to the structure of π -acetylene complexes. The importance of the structure

determinations of these complexes is stated in relation to the elucidation of the nature of π bonding and the mechanisms of catalysis using acetylenes. The authors concentrate their efforts on diphenylacetylene complexes of niobium although compounds with other transition metals are mentioned.

There are, according to these authors, five general structural features of these π -acetylenic complexes. The complexed triple bond is elongated as compared to the value of 1.205 \AA ^{192,193} found in the free ligand. Second, the ligand is no longer linear but the two acetylenic substituents are bent away from the bonding site. Probably as a consequence of the ensuing steric repulsions, there occurs a twisting about the $\text{C}\equiv\text{C}$ bond. Fourth, the metal atom which co-ordinates to the acetylenic ligand gains the number of electrons necessary to achieve an 18 electron shell. Finally, there is an appreciable shortening ($0.2 - 0.4 \text{ \AA}$) of the metal-to-acetylenic carbon distance in comparison to a single M-C bond distance.

The first structure determination on a diphenylacetylene-transition metal complex was described in Chapter III, Section A. Sly's paper⁷⁷ on μ -diphenylacetylenehexacarbonyldicobalt reports a complexed $\text{C}\equiv\text{C}$ distance of 1.46 \AA which was subsequently revised⁷⁸ to 1.369 \AA . The phenyl- $\text{C}\equiv\text{C}$ angles average 138° and the cobalt-acetylenic carbon distances average 1.96 \AA . The cobalt-cobalt distance

is 2.47Å.

The phenyl rings in the complex make an angle of 62° with each other and this is commensurate with the 60° angle obtained for the complex bis(cyclopentadienyl)- μ -diphenylacetylenedinitnickel.¹⁹⁴ The average phenyl-C \equiv C angle is 140° in this complex and the C \equiv C complexed bond distance is 1.35(3)Å.

Very recently, the crystallographic structure determination of the complex $W(O)\pi-(C_5H_5)\sigma-(C_6H_5) \cdot (PhC\equiv CPh)$ has been published.¹⁹⁵ The complex was synthesized by the ultraviolet irradiation of a solution of $W(CO)_3\pi-(C_5H_5)\sigma-(C_6H_5)$ and $PhC\equiv CPh$. The average phenyl-C \equiv C angle was 143° and the C \equiv C distance 1.29Å. In this complex, the acetylene is bonded to but one metal atom. The dihedral angle between the two phenyl ring planes is 57° and the torsional angle around the C \equiv C bond is very small (2°). Three moles of diphenylacetylene react with one mole of $W(CO)_3(CH_3CN)_3$ ¹⁹⁶ to give the complex $W(CO)(PhC\equiv CPh)_3$ which has been studied by X-ray crystallography.^{117,197} The C \equiv C distances average 1.30Å, and the phenyl-C \equiv C angles 140° . The dihedral angle between the phenyl rings is not quoted. R.B. King¹⁹⁸ had correctly predicted the nature of this complex four years before the crystal structure was reported.

Palladium has been shown to form the complex

μ -diphenylacetylene-bis-(π -pentaphenylcyclopentadienyl)-dipalladium(I)¹⁹⁹ in which the acetylenic ligand bridges a palladium-palladium bond in much the same way as it bridges a Ni-Ni bond. The C \equiv C bond length is 1.33Å. The relative configuration of the phenyl groups is not reported in this communication.

The series of three X-ray crystallographic structure determinations of diphenylacetylene-niobium complexes includes two complexes Nb(CO)(π -C₅H₅)(Ph₂C₂)(π -Ph₄C₄)^{200,201} and Nb(CO)(π -C₅H₅)(Ph₂C₂)₂^{202,203} in which the diphenylacetylene ligand is bonded to a unique niobium atom. The C \equiv C bond is 1.26Å in the former and 1.35Å in the latter complex. The phenyl-C \equiv C angles average 140°. The third complex is ((π -C₅H₅)Nb(CO)(Ph₂C₂))₂²⁰⁴ which contains a Nb-Nb bond. The bridging ligand exhibits a C \equiv C bond length of 1.39Å and a phenyl-C \equiv C angle of 130°. Again the relative configurations of the two phenyl rings are not given.

SECTION B. EXPERIMENTAL

1. The Source of the Complexes Studied

For full details on the preparation and characterization of a) μ -{bis(diphenylarsino)methane}- μ -(diphenylacetylene)tetracarbonyldicobalt(0); $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_4 \cdot (\text{PhCCPh})(\text{Ph}_2\text{AsCH}_2\text{AsPh}_2)$, b) μ -{bis(diphenylphosphino)methane}- μ -(diphenylacetylene)tetracarbonyldicobalt(0); $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_4(\text{PhCCPh})(\text{Ph}_2\text{PCH}_2\text{PPh}_2)$ and c) the di- μ -{bis(diphenylarsino)methane}- μ -(diphenylacetylene)dicarbonyldicobalt(0) \cdot 1,2-dichloroethane solvate complex; $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_2(\text{PhCCPh}) \cdot (\text{Ph}_2\text{AsCH}_2\text{AsPh}_2)_2 \cdot \text{H}_2\text{ClCCClH}_2$, the reader is referred to the soon-to-be-presented Doctoral Thesis of Mr. David N. Hall. It is the intention here to present but a short summary of the origin of these complexes and whatever physical data might be relevant to their X-ray crystallographic structure determination.

μ -{bis(diphenylarsino)methane}- μ -(diphenylacetylene)tetracarbonyldicobalt(0) was prepared by the reaction, in refluxing hexane, of 1 mole of diphenylacetylene-hexacarbonyldicobalt(0) with 1 mole of bis(diphenylarsino)methane. The complex was recrystallized from hexane to give the crystals used in the structure analysis. Di- μ -{bis(diphenylarsino)methane}- μ -(diphenylacetylene)dicarbonyldicobalt(0) was prepared by refluxing 2 moles of bis(diphenyl-

arsino)methane with 1 mole of diphenylacetylenehexacarbonyldicobalt(0) complex in benzene solution. The wine-red solid so obtained was recrystallized from 1,2-dichloroethane. Finally, μ -(bis(diphenylphosphino)methane)- μ -(diphenylacetylene)tetracarbonyldicobalt(0) was synthesized just as for the arsenic analog except that the phosphorus precursor was used. Recrystallization was from hexane solution.

2. The Attempted Solution of the X-ray Crystallographic Structure of μ -(bis(diphenylarsino)methane)- μ -(diphenylacetylene)tetracarbonyldicobalt(0)

A crystal, of approximate dimensions 0.1 x 0.2 x 0.1 mm (recrystallized from hexane by cooling), was mounted on a eucentric goniometer head and the height was adjusted on the diffractometer goniometer. The zero level Weissenberg photograph showed orthorhombic symmetry. In the first level Weissenberg, the right-left symmetry was maintained about one axis but disappeared about the second. The latter showed twice as many spots on the first level as were observed on the zero level axis. This zero level axis was labeled b^* and the second axis was arbitrarily called c^* . The monoclinic crystal was assumed to be mounted on a .

The $hk0$ monoclinic zone was obtained using the

precession camera. The $h0l$ zone showed a diamond pattern that was absent on the $h1l$ zone. The space group was assigned as $P2_1/n$ (non-standard setting of $P2_1/c$, No. 14). The extinction conditions for this space group are a) on $h0l$, $h + k = 2n + 1$ and b) on $0k0$, $k = 2n + 1$.

The unit cell parameters were computed from the film-measured y_n distances. For this crystal, the measured values were $y_a = 1.89$ mm, $y_b = 2.00$ mm, $y_c = 2.62$ mm and $\beta^* = 85.5^\circ$. This gives, according to Equation II-B-1, $a^* = 0.0443^{225}$, $b^* = 0.0469^{021}$ and $c^* = 0.061^{1110} \text{\AA}^{-1}$. From the monoclinic conversion equations,¹²⁴ $a = 22.63$, $b = 21.32$, $c = 16.33 \text{\AA}$, $\beta = 94.5^\circ$. The goniometer was then mounted on the diffractometer and the $(0,10,0)$ and $(0,0,8)$ reflections were located and centered. The third axis reflection (the $(6,0,0)$) was found and centered. Twelve reflections were centered at plus and minus 2θ . They are the $(14,0,0)$, $(-14,0,0)$, $(10,10,0)$, $(10,-10,0)$, $(-10,10,0)$, $(-10,-10,0)$, $(10,0,-6)$, $(-10,0,6)$, $(12,0,6)$, $(-12,0,-6)$, $(0,0,10)$ and $(0,0,-10)$. Two cycles of least squares refinement of the cell parameters using these reflections gave the final values of $a = 22.394 \pm 0.005$, $b = 21.492 \pm 0.007$, $c = 16.168 \pm 0.005 \text{\AA}$ and $\beta = 94.50 \pm 0.02^\circ$. The unit cell volume was thus 7757.4\AA^3 . Based on this volume and a formula weight of 880 g mole^{-1} for $\text{Co}_2\text{As}_2\text{C}_{43}\text{H}_{32}\text{O}_4$, the calculated density for 4 molecules in the unit cell is 0.754 g cm^{-3} . With two molecules in the asymmetric unit, the calculated density

is 1.507 g cm^{-3} . The observed density, measured by flotation in zinc iodide aqueous solution, was 1.475 g cm^{-3} . The molecular volume, based on eight molecules per unit cell, was 969.7 \AA^3 .

Data collection was carried out using the parameters summarized in Table IV-B-1. Planes were collected in one-quarter of the sphere with positive h and k . There were 7469 reflections measured of which 1396 were absent and 1679 were less than 3σ . Thus 4394 reflections were accepted. Absorption corrections were not applied to the observed data. The linear absorption coefficient μ was 25.1 cm^{-1} .

NORNA was used to calculate normalized structure factors E_{hkl} . Of the 4394 reflections processed, 1410 had E_{hkl} values greater than 1.0, 117 had values E_{hkl} greater than 2.0 and finally, 3 had E_{hkl} greater than 3.0. A value of 1.80 was chosen for the minimum E value and REL was used to attempt phase solution. Two hundred reflections only were available of which only 20 on the average had phases which were considered determined. Consistency indices varied from 0.01 to 0.05 for this attempt. On examination of the starting set, the four seminvariants were not as random as they should have been. Indeed, the k index of all four was 5 and the h index was 0 for the first two and 4 for the other two. Another attempt at

TABLE IV-B-1

DATA COLLECTION PARAMETERS FOR

Co₂(CO)₄(PhCCPh)(Ph₂AsCH₂AsPh₂)

Radiation used:	Mo K _α (λ = 0.71069 Å)
Pulse height analyzer	100%
Upper level	6.0
Lower level	2.0
Attenuators	Used
Space group routine used:	P2 ₁ /n
maximum h: 23	minimum h: 0
maximum k: 23	minimum k: 0
maximum l: 16	minimum l: -16
maximum 2θ: 40.0°	minimum 2θ: 4.0°
Standards used (hkl)	(8,0,0)* (0,10,0) (0,0,6)
Value and variation	41815 ± 15%
Interval	every 50 reflections
Background	40 second counts
Base length of scan	2.0°
Total number of reflections	
collected:	7469

* This standard was used for scaling.

statistical phasing was made.

Care was taken to avoid the relationship of h, k and l of the starting set that had plagued the first try. A reasonable starting set was obtained which included the reflections $(4,5,-9)$, $(5,11,1)$, $(9,6,-1)$, $(4,14,-1)$, $(3,12,-2)$, $(2,1,1)$ and $(9,6,1)$. The *NBACK* option was 1 for the first pass and 0 for the second. The minimum value of R was reduced to 1.65 thus allowing for a greater number (303) of reflections to be used. *PROB1* was set at 0.85 and *PROB2* was 0.70. *PROBK* was 0.07. Consistency indices, C , varied from 0.52 to 0.78. Two solutions were prepared and used to calculate electron density maps but both attempts were unsuccessful. The first solution, with the highest consistency index (0.78) gave 151 pluses and 143 minuses phased in 5 cycles. The second had a consistency index of 0.66 with 140 pluses and 143 minuses in 5 cycles. In neither case did the signs predicted for the starting set change from cycle to cycle. Both solutions gave E -maps which, when drawn up, gave no recognizable pattern. The strong peaks were used in several structure factor calculations but the discrepancy factors were too high to imply a correct solution.

The heavy-atom method was also tried in order to solve the phase problem. A sharpened Patterson function was calculated using half-angstrom resolution. The map

was a view down the c axis of the monoclinic real cell.

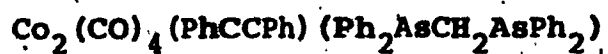
The equivalent positions in $P2_1/n$ are 1) x, y, z 2) $-x,$
 $-y, -z$ 3) $\frac{1}{2} + x, \frac{1}{2} - y, \frac{1}{2} + z$ and 4) $\frac{1}{2} - x, \frac{1}{2} + y, \frac{1}{2} - z$.

The vectors between these equivalent positions are summarized in Table IV-B-2. The origin peak was 999 and the arsenic-arsenic vector should thus have an intensity of 25. The intensity of the cobalt-cobalt vector must be 17. Peaks were found on the Harker line and the Harker section but the intensities were much higher than predicted for single vector peaks due to accidental overlap. A surfeit of peaks caused considerable difficulty and after many weeks of exhaustive peak selection and verification, the efforts seemed futile.

Another map was computed (unsharpened) based on high angle data only. If the reflection had a value of $(\sin\theta)/\lambda$ less than 2.245, it was not used in the Patterson summation. The aim here was to phase the data based on reflections contributed to in a greater proportion by the heavy atoms in the cell. The effort was to no avail since similar overlap of vectors occurred. The attempt at solution of this structure was terminated at this point.

TABLE IV-B-2

PATTERSON VECTORS FOR A SINGLE ATOM IN



Vector	Multiplicity
$\pm (2x, 2y, 2z)$	1
$\pm (\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} + 2y, \frac{1}{2})$ Harker Line	2
$\pm (\frac{1}{2} + 2x, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} + 2z)$ Harker Section	2

3. The Crystal and Molecular Structure Determination of
 μ -(bis(diphenylphosphino)methane)- μ -(diphenylacetylene)-
tetracarbonyldicobalt(0)

A crystal of the complex was recrystallized from hexane. The 0.2 x 0.2 x 0.2 mm roughly cubic crystal was investigated by Weissenberg and precession geometry. The zero and first level Weissenberg as well as zero and first level a^*c^* and b^*c^* precession photographs indicated the space group was $P2_1/n$. The monoclinic crystal was assigned to be mounted on the c axis in this structure.

The film-measured distances were $y_a = 3.53$, $y_b = 2.08$ and $y_c = 2.76$ mm. This gave (Equation II-B-1) reciprocal cell dimensions of $a^* = 0.0827^{\circ}\text{Å}^{-1}$, $b^* = 0.0486^{\circ}\text{Å}^{-1}$, $c^* = 0.064^{\circ}\text{Å}^{-1}$ and a measured β^* angle of 82.3° . Thus $a = 12.19$, $b = 20.55$, $c = 15.62\text{Å}$ and $\beta = 97.7^\circ$.

The (6,0,0) and (0,16,0) reflections were located and centered. Using the approximate cell parameters measured from film and the ω , χ and ϕ angles of these two reflections, the (0,0,10) reflection was found and centered. Twelve reflections (9,0,-3), (-9,0,3), (1,0,11), (-1,0,-11), (0,16,0), (0,-16,0), (-1,12,7), (1,-12,-7), (-7,0,11), (7,0,-11), (14,0,5), (14,0,-5) were centered at both plus and minus 2θ , the results were averaged and they were used in three cycles of least squares to give an orientation.

matrix and the refined cell parameters $a = 11.97 \pm 0.02$, $b = 20.41 \pm 0.02$, $c = 15.45 \pm 0.02$ Å, $\beta = 97.57 \pm 0.07^\circ$. The unit cell volume was thus 3742.5 Å^3 giving a molecular volume of 935.6 Å^3 for $Z = 4$.

The observed density, measured by flotation in zinc iodide water solution was $1.35(2) \text{ g cm}^{-3}$. The density calculated from the measured volume, a formula weight of 792.5 and four molecules in the unit cell, was 1.406 g cm^{-3} .

Data collection was carried out using those parameters described in Table IV-B-3. Of the total of 3942 reflections collected, 518 were absent and 280 were less than 3σ . Thus 3144 were accepted and used in least squares refinement. Absorption corrections were not applied and they were probably not warranted ($\mu = 10.49 \text{ cm}^{-1}$).

The heavy-atom method was used with great success to solve the phase problem. A sharpened Patterson was computed using the thermal parameter (3.25) and the scale factor (1.299) predicted by PREP. One-half angström resolution was chosen for computation of a full unit cell of vector space which had its origin at the center.

The vector set is described in Table IV-B-2 for $P2_1/n$. Examination of the Harker line gave two peaks, one centered at -0.170 and the other at -0.310 . Both had

TABLE IV-B-3

DATA COLLECTION PARAMETERS FOR

Co₂(CO)₄ (PhCCPh) (Ph₂PCH₂PPH₂)

Radiation used:	Mo K _α (λ = 0.71069Å)
Pulse height analyzer	100%
Upper level	6.0
Lower level	2.0
Attenuators	Used
Space group routine used:	P2 ₁ /n
maximum h: 11	minimum h: -11
maximum k: 19	minimum k: 0
maximum l: 14	minimum l: 0
maximum 2θ: 40.0°	minimum 2θ: 4.0°
Standards used (hkl)	(6,0,0) (0,6,0) (0,0,10)
Value and variation for scaling	77415 ± 15%
Interval	every 50 reflections
Background	40 second counts
Base length of scan	2.1°
Total number of reflections collected:	3942

intensities of approximately 250. The theoretical intensity for a Co-Co vector is 215. Since both these peaks were at a Patterson position of $\frac{1}{2} + 2y$, where y is the real cell position, these equations were solved for y and values of -0.335 and -0.405 respectively were obtained. The two large peaks found on the Harker section are given in Table IV-B-4. Two compatible sets of co-ordinates were found (multiplicity of $2x$, $2y$, $2z$ peak is one-half that of the Harker peaks (Table IV-B-2)) and these were refined in an isotropic least squares cycle (IS01) using *SPLS-5*.

The discrepancy index R before refinement was 57.2% for 3144 reflections. The scale factor changed by about 15% in this cycle and the isotropic thermal parameters, which were put in as 3.0 for both Co1 and Co2, dropped to 0.1 and 0.4 respectively. The R factor was 49.9% after this refinement cycle and an observed Fourier map was calculated based on this improved model. Here one-third angström resolution was taken. This permitted the identification of peaks for the two phosphorus atoms, the acetylenic carbons, the carbonyl atoms and most carbon atoms in four of the six rings.

The discrepancy factor dropped from 36.1% to 25.2% in a cycle of refinement (IS02) of the positional and isotropic thermal parameters of these atoms. A difference Fourier ($R_{MAX} = 4.19$) permitted the location of all remaining

non-hydrogen atoms. Two further cycles (ISO3 and ISO4) of isotropic least squares refinement with 205 parameters in one matrix brought the discrepancy index from 17.0% to 10.8% with a "goodness-of-fit" parameter of 7.025. At this stage, the rigid ring approximation was introduced and the structure was refined using the program *NUCLS4*.

The six phenyl rings were assigned a center of mass, orientation angles ϕ , θ and ρ and an isotropic thermal parameter for each atom. Isotropic refinement was continued for two cycles as described in Table IV-B-5. Then four cycles of anisotropic refinement on the six rings gave a final discrepancy factor of 8.8% and a final weighted discrepancy factor of 10.2%. Anomalous dispersion corrections were applied to the cobalt atomic scattering factors ($\Delta f' = 0.40$, $\Delta f'' = 1.10$).

No attempt was made to locate the hydrogen atom positions on the final difference Fourier. This map gave a $\Delta \rho \text{ e}^{-3}$ maximum of 0.9 and confirmed that the cell was devoid of solvent molecules. The 32 hydrogen atom positions were calculated using a carbon-hydrogen bond length of 0.98 Å.

All positional and thermal parameters can be found in Appendix B. The positional parameters for the rigid ring carbon atoms have been calculated from the center of mass and the directional angles of the rings. The C-C

TABLE IV-B-5
STRUCTURE FACTOR INFORMATION FOR $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_4(\text{PhCCPh})(\text{Ph}_2\text{PCH}_2\text{PPh}_2)^a$

	AFTER ISO (4)	ISO (5)	ISO (6)	ANISO (1)	ANISO (2) ^b	ANISO (3)	ANISO (4)
Scale Factor	2.0717	2.0744	2.0755	2.0839	2.0856	2.0674	2.0679
Total # of parameters		133	133	208	208	208	208
Number of Reflections	3144	3144	3144	3144	3144	3144	3144
"Goodness-of-fit"	9.06	6.73	6.71	5.88	5.93	5.86	5.86
R	14.4	10.4	10.4	8.9	8.8	8.8	8.8
R _w	16.0	11.9	11.9	10.3	10.4	10.2	10.2

^a The structure factor calculation data listed is for that run immediately AFTER the least squares refinement cycle heading the column.

^b Anomalous dispersion corrections were introduced at this point (see text).

bond lengths are all 1.390 Å and the angles 120°. The isotropic thermal parameters are as refined by NUCLS4. The final structure factor calculation did not include the hydrogen atoms since the number of atoms possible in NUCLS4 would not allow it.

The 3144 reflections used in the refinement are listed in Appendix B along with their F_{obs} and F_{cal} values. A reject routine was not used in the refinement. The final shifts in the parameters were, at the most, 0.1 of their estimated standard deviations. Final positional and thermal parameters can also be found in Appendix B along with the equations of the planes of the six phenyl rings of the structure.

4. The Crystal and Molecular Structure of the Di- μ -
{bis(diphenylarsino)methane}- μ -(diphenylacetylene)-
dicarbonyldicobalt(0)·1,2-dichloroethane solvate

Oscillation photographs, recorded using a crystal of approximate dimensions 0.1 x 0.1 x 0.1 mm recrystallized, by cooling, from a 1,2-dichloroethane solution, showed no symmetry. A zero level Weissenberg also indicated the absence of 'right-left' symmetry and it was concluded that the crystal was triclinic. The photographs showed as well that the crystal had cracked.

Spots of considerably smaller intensity were found adjacent to the large ones. Two axes were chosen (close to 90° apart) and they were labeled b^* and c^* . The a^*b^* and a^*c^* zones were recorded on film using the precession camera and, from the spacings, the values $y_a = 3.26$, $y_b = 2.58$ and $y_c = 3.47$ mm were obtained. These correspond to reciprocal cell lengths of 0.0765^{526} , 0.0605^{050} and 0.081^{3235} \AA^{-1} for a^* , b^* and c^* respectively. With measured reciprocal angles of $\alpha^* = 103.8^\circ$, $\beta^* = 69.3^\circ$ and $\gamma^* = 86.0^\circ$, the approximate real cell parameters were calculated²⁰⁵ and used in alignment of the triclinic crystal on the diffractometer.

The $(0,11,0)$ and the $(0,0,7)$ reflections were found on the goniometer and centered. With the careful choice of a right-handed set of axes, the $(8,0,0)$ reflection was predicted using the rough cell parameters and was located. An improved orientation matrix was obtained using the centered angles for these three reflections. A total of 12 reflections were centered at both plus and minus 2θ and the results were averaged. These were the $(0,11,0)$, $(0,-11,0)$, $(9,1,0)$, $(-9,-1,0)$, $(9,0,-7)$, $(-9,0,7)$, $(2,0,6)$, $(-2,0,-6)$, $(3,-9,1)$, $(-3,9,-1)$, $(0,5,5)$ and $(0,-5,-5)$ reflections. Two cycles of least squares refinement gave the following refined cell parameters: $a = 14.207 \pm 0.004$, $b = 17.321 \pm 0.005$, $c = 13.736 \pm 0.004$ \AA , $\alpha = 73.63 \pm 0.02$, $\beta = 112.44 \pm 0.02$, $\gamma = 99.78 \pm 0.02^\circ$. The unit cell volume was calculated to be 2990.5\AA^3 .

A reduced cell was calculated using the Delauney reduction.²⁰⁶ The reduced cell is $a_r = 14.207$, $b_r = 17.321$, $c_r = 18.830\text{\AA}$, $\alpha_r = 135.64$, $\beta_r = 97.14$, $\gamma_r = 99.89^\circ$. These cell parameters are derived from the cell used in practice by the relationships: $\vec{a}_r = \vec{a}$, $\vec{b}_r = \vec{b}$, $\vec{c}_r = \vec{b} + \vec{c}$.

The crystal density was measured by flotation in zinc iodide aqueous solution. The observed density was 1.538 g cm^{-3} . Based on 2 molecules per unit cell, a volume of 2990.5\AA^3 and a formula weight of $1296.7 \text{ g mole}^{-1}$ for $\text{Co}_2\text{As}_4\text{C}_{66}\text{H}_{54}\text{O}_2$, the calculated density is 1.44 g cm^{-3} . If the 2 molecules of 1,2-dichloroethane are included, the calculated density becomes 1.55 g cm^{-3} which is in better agreement with the observed density.

Data collection was effected using those instrumental parameters described in Table IV-B-6. A total of 6047 reflections were measured of which 512 were absent and 1377 were less than 3σ . Thus 4158 reflections were used for structure solution and refinement. Absorption corrections were not applied since the crystal size was very small ($\mu = 30.30 \text{ cm}^{-1}$).

The phase problem was solved by computing a Patterson map for the entire unit cell at 0.5\AA resolution and reproducing it onto glass sheets to give a three-

TABLE IV-B-6

DATA COLLECTION PARAMETERS FOR



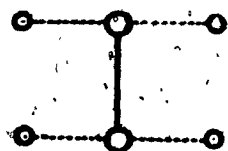
Radiation used:	Mo K_α ($\lambda = 0.71069\text{\AA}$)
Pulse height analyzer	100%
Upper level	6.0
Lower level	2.0
Attenuators	Used
Space group routine used:	None
maximum h : 13	minimum h : 0
maximum k : 16	minimum k : -16
maximum l : 13	minimum l : -13
maximum 2θ : } 40.0°	minimum 2θ : 4.0°
Standards used (hkl)	(8,0,0) (0,11,0) (0,0,6)
Value and variation for scaling	13000 ± 15%
Interval	every 50 reflections
Background	40 second counts
Base length of scan	2.0°
Total number of reflections collected:	6047

dimensional representation of the vector density. The pattern of peaks on the Patterson map was identified as being due to the vectors between the atoms of the arsenic-cobalt framework described in Figure IV-B-1. A peak (marked with an asterisk) with unitary multiplicity was chosen as arsenic atom 1. The peak was labeled u_1, v_1, w_1 . The atom As1 was thus located at x_1, y_1, z_1 ($u_1/2, v_1/2, w_1/2$) in the real cell. The remaining five Patterson inter-heavy atom vectors were labeled and their u, v, w co-ordinates were recorded. These were referred to the real cell origin by subtracting the As1 cell co-ordinates (x_1, y_1, z_1). This procedure is shown in Table IV-B-7.

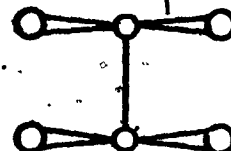
The co-ordinates listed in Table IV-B-7 were used in a structure factor calculation which gave a discrepancy index of 42.8%. One cycle of full matrix least squares isotropic refinement showed the atoms to be well-behaved and the discrepancy index dropped to 30.2%. An observed Fourier was now calculated at one-third angström resolution and it revealed all remaining non-hydrogen atoms in the complex as well as a molecule of 1,2-dichloroethane. The positions of all these atoms were recorded, the distances and angles around them were computed to insure that no mistake was made in reading the co-ordinates, and a least squares refinement was undertaken.

The atoms were separated into seven matrices

Figure IV-B-1. Patterson peaks for the vectors between heavy atoms in $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_2(\text{PhCCPh})(\text{Ph}_2\text{AsCH}_2\text{AsPh}_2)_2 \cdot \text{ClH}_2\text{CCH}_2\text{Cl}$.

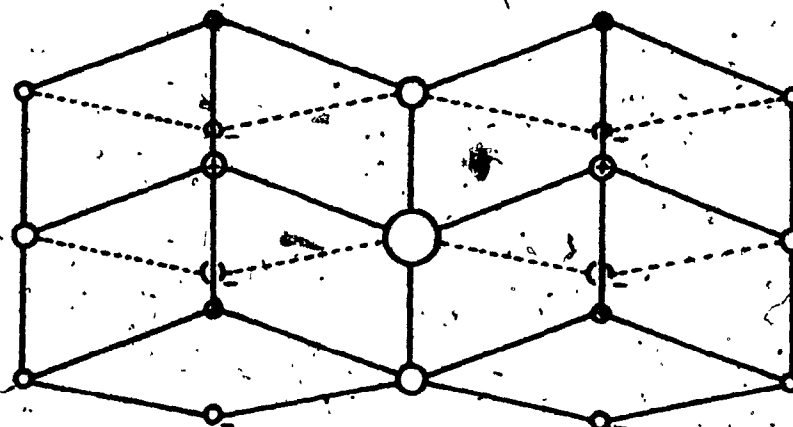


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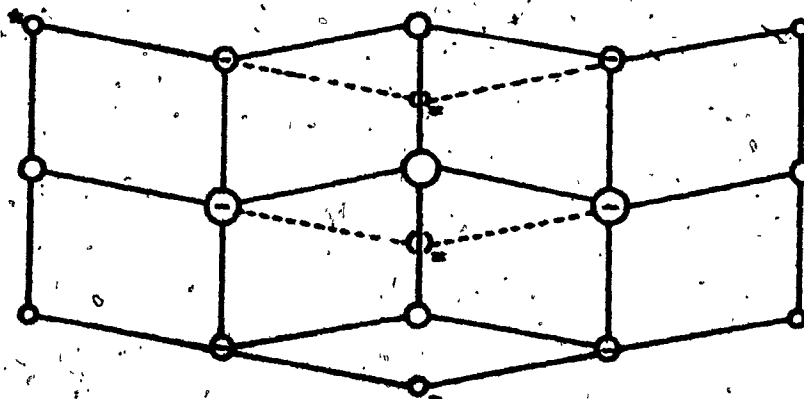


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The two molecular heavy atom frameworks



Patterson peaks for intra-cluster vectors



Patterson peaks for inter-cluster vectors

TABLE IV-B-7

CALCULATION OF THE SIX HEAVY ATOM CO-ORDINATES

(X,Y,Z) FROM PATTERSON CO-ORDINATES (U,V,W) IN



ATOM NAME	(u,v,w)	(x ₁ ,y ₁ ,z ₁)	(x,y,z)
As1	0.600	0.300	0.300
	0.756	0.378	0.378
	0.614	0.307	0.307
As2	0.730	0.300	0.430
	0.550	0.378	0.172
	0.788	0.307	0.481
As3	0.384	0.300	0.084
	0.660	0.378	0.282
	0.524	0.307	0.217
As4	0.520	0.300	0.220
	0.470	0.378	0.092
	0.664	0.307	0.357
Co1	0.610	0.300	0.310
	0.650	0.378	0.272
	0.770	0.307	0.463
Co2	0.430	0.300	0.130
	0.564	0.378	0.186
	0.680	0.307	0.373

in somewhat random fashion. There was at least one heavy atom per matrix however and the isotropic temperature factors were all started at 3.5. The structure factor calculation preceeding the refinement gave a discrepancy factor of 25.6% whereas, following one cycle of isotropic refinement, the R factor was 14.4%. Most of the atoms seemed well-behaved although the solvent molecule gave rather large isotropic temperature factors which further increased in the second isotropic refinement cycle. The atoms were shuffled around between the seven matrices to ensure a certain degree of co-relation between them. The R factor was now 12.7% whereas the weighted R factor was 12.2%.

The ten phenyl rings of the complex were converted to rigid groups and this reduced the number of ring parameters from 24 to 12 for each ring. The program *NUCLS4* was then used to further refine the structure. One cycle afforded isotropic convergence at 10.3% (weighted R factor of 9.4%). This refinement involved 199 parameters and 4158 reflections. Anomalous dispersion corrections were applied to both arsenic ($\Delta f' = 0.1$, $\Delta f'' = 2.2$) and cobalt ($\Delta f' = 0.4$, $\Delta f'' = 1.1$). All atoms but the rigid rings were allowed to refine anisotropically. Convergence occurred rapidly (in 2 cycles) to a final residual index of 8.6% and a final weighted index of 7.5%. The "goodness-of-fit" parameter was 3.04 for 4158 reflections. The final parameter shifts were, on the average, only 10% of their estimated

standard deviations. Attempts were not made to locate the 54 hydrogen atoms on the final difference Fourier map (maximum peak = 1.0 \AA^{-3}) since it was impossible to include them in a structure factor calculation because of program restrictions. Their positions were calculated however (C-H distance of 0.98 \AA) and were used in assessing intermolecular contacts. The positions of ring carbon atoms were derived from the ring centers and orientations. The C-C bond length was taken as 1.390 \AA and all angles as 120° . The isotropic thermal parameters were as refined by *NUCLS4* and both positional and thermal parameters can be found in Appendix C. Also found in Appendix C will be a list of the observed and calculated structure factors as well as the equations of the ten rigid ring planes of the structure.

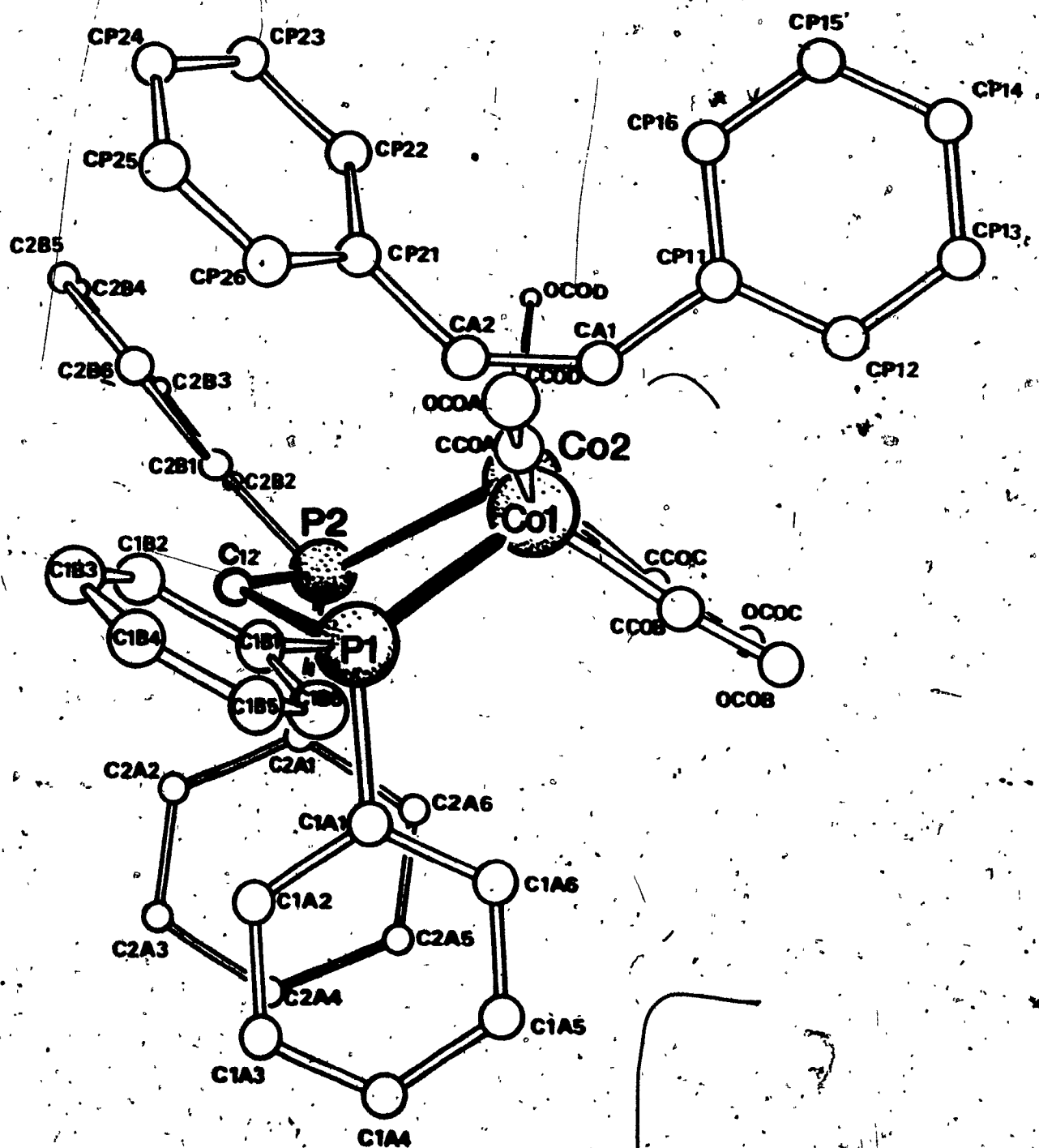
SECTION C. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

The molecules studied by X-ray crystallography and reported in this section possess no features which, taken by themselves, are novel. Diphenylacetylenic complexes have been extensively studied as well as various complexes with bidentate bridging ligands (see Section A). The combination of these features in one molecule, however, is unique. Features of the various bonded species must be compromised in order for the molecules to form. This is especially true for the μ -[bis(diphenylarsino)methane]- μ -(diphenylacetylene)dicarbonyldicobalt · 1,2-dichloroethane solvate which must accommodate the steric interactions of ten phenyl groups.

1. The Crystal and Molecular Structure of μ -[bis(diphenylphosphino)methane]- μ -(diphenylacetylene)tetracarbonyldicobalt(0).

The molecule $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_4(\text{PhCCPh})(\text{Ph}_2\text{PCH}_2\text{PPh}_2)$ consists of a dicobalt framework to which is bonded a diphenylacetylene molecule, a bis(diphenylphosphino)methane ligand bridging the two cobalt atoms, and four terminal carbonyls, two on each cobalt atom. The molecule is illustrated in Figure IV-C-1 which also describes the

Figure IV-C-1. The molecular configuration and numbering scheme for μ -{bis(diphenylphosphino)methane}- μ -(diphenylacetylene)tetracarbonyldicobalt.



numbering scheme for the various atoms in the molecule.

It can be seen that the five-membered ring (Co1-Co2-P2-Cl2-P1) is not planar but that the methylene carbon atom is bent up toward the diphenylacetylene ligand. This may be the result of possible interactions with the adjacent carbonyl ligands or an artifact of the ligand itself. The angle between the plane P1-Cl2-P2 and the least squares plane to the atoms Co1-Co2-P2-P1 is 135.4° .

Figure IV-C-2 gives a view down the Co1-Co2 vector of this molecule but in a direction opposite to that used in Figure IV-C-1. It will be seen from this projection that the Co1-Co2 vector is not parallel to the P1-P2 vector. The angle between these vectors is 7.4° . The twist of the bent bidentate bridging ligand is such that one of the phenyl groups attached to this bidentate ligand may well determine the direction of bend of the acetylenic phenyl group.

The bond lengths and angles for the complex are quoted in Tables IV-C-1 and IV-C-2. The cobalt-cobalt distance of $2.459(2)\text{\AA}$ is compatible with values measured for acetylenic dicobalthexacarbonyl systems. There are two pairs of carbonyl ligands, the first (CCOA,CCOD) displaying a Co-C distance 0.065\AA smaller than the other (CCOB,CCOC). CCOA

Figure IV-C-2: A view of μ -{bis(diphenylphosphino)methane}- μ -(diphenylacetylene)tetracarbonyldicobalt down the Co-Co bond vector.

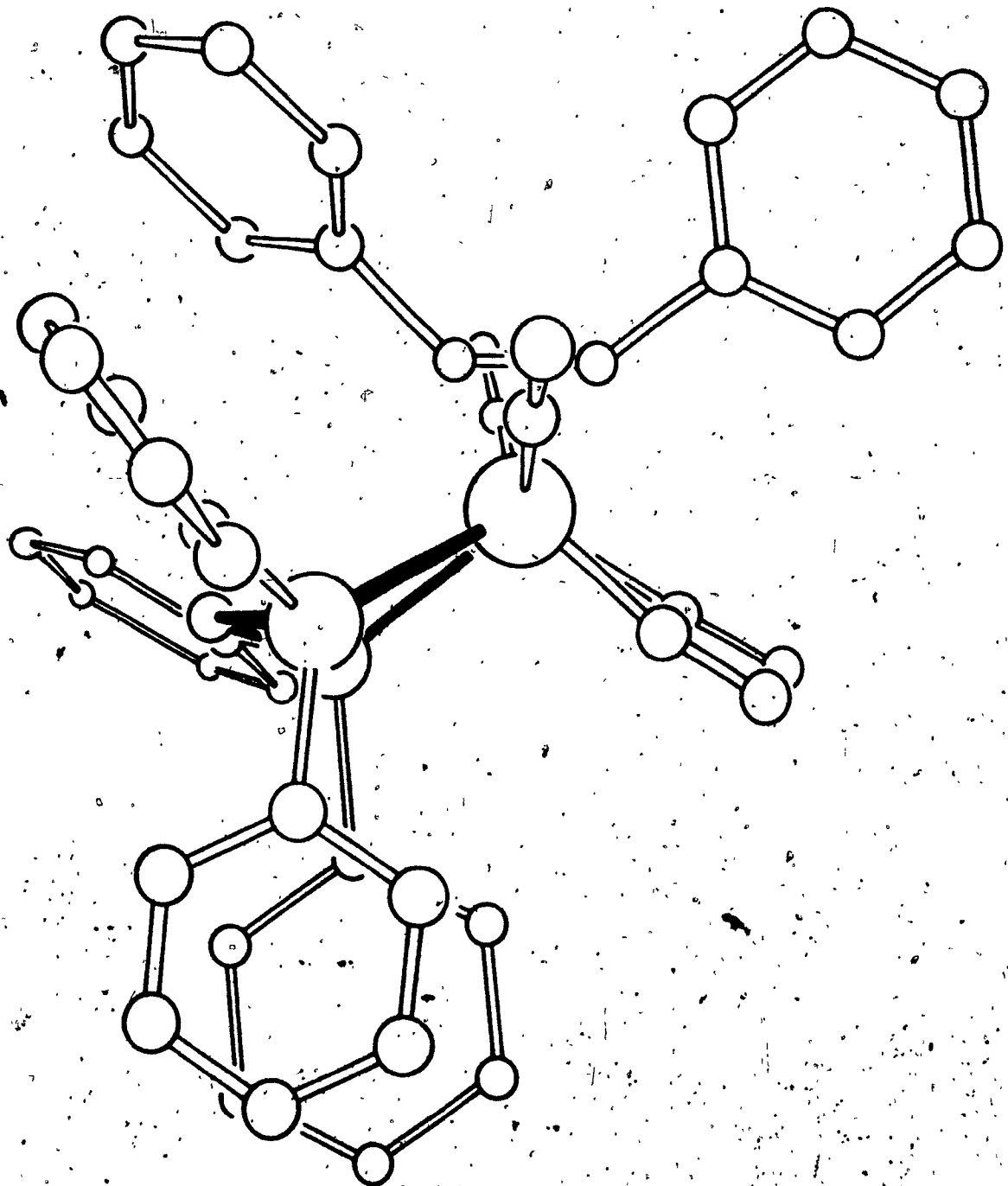


TABLE IV-C-1

BOND LENGTHS (Å) IN μ -{BIS-(DIPHENYLPHOSPHINO)METHANE}- μ -
(DIPHENYLACETYLENE)TETRACARBONYLDICOBALT(0)}.

Co1 -Co2 :	2.459 (2)	CA1 -CA2 :	1.33 (1)
Co1 -CCOA:	1.70 (1)	Co2 -CCOD:	1.71 (1)
Co1 -CCOB:	1.78 (1)	Co2 -CCOC:	1.76 (1)
Co1 -CA1 :	1.97 (1)	Co2 -CA2 :	1.94 (1)
Co1 -CA2 :	1.95 (1)	Co2 -CA1 :	1.92 (1)
CCOA-OCOA:	1.16 (2)	CCOC-OCOC:	1.13 (2)
CCOB-OCOB:	1.14 (2)	CCOD-OCOD:	1.14 (2)
Co1 -P1 :	2.210 (3)	Co2 -P2 :	2.215 (3)
P1 -P2 :	2.946 (4)		
P1 -C12 :	1.84 (1)	P2 -C12 :	1.84 (1)
P1 -C1A1:	1.822 (7)	P2 -C2A1:	1.809 (7)
P1 -C1B1:	1.822 (7)	P2 -C2B1:	1.829 (7)
CA1 -CP11:	1.46 (1)	CA2 -CP21:	1.49 (1)

TABLE IV-C-2

BOND ANGLES (°) IN μ -[BI₂(DIPHENYLPHOSPHINO)METHANE]- μ -

(DIPHENYLACETYLENE)TETRACARBONYLDICOBALT(0).

P1 -Co1 -Co2 :	93.2(1)	P2 -Co2 -Co1 :	98.8(1)
P1 -Co1 -CCOB:	109.2(4)	P2 -Co2 -CCOC:	111.8(5)
P1 -Co1 -CCOA:	98.5(4)	P2 -Co2 -CCOD:	97.8(5)
P1 -Co1 -CA2 :	101.7(3)	P2 -Co2 -CA2 :	97.5(3)
CA1 -Co1 -Co2 :	50.0(3)	CA1 -Co2 -Co1 :	51.6(3)
CA1 -Co1 -CCOB:	101.4(5)	CA1 -Co2 -CCOC:	103.8(6)
CA1 -Co1 -CCOA:	105.0(5)	CA1 -Co2 -CCOD:	100.0(6)
CA1 -Co1 -Co2 :	39.7(4)	CA1 -Co2 -CA2 :	40.2(4)
Co2 -Co1 -CCOB:	102.2(4)	Co1 -Co2 -CCOC:	97.8(5)
CCOB-Co1 -CCOA:	101.0(5)	CCOC-Co2 -CCOD:	99.1(6)
CCOA-Co1 -CA2 :	98.5(5)	CCOD-Co2 -CA2 :	102.0(5)
CA2 -Co1 -Co2 :	50.7(3)	CA2 -Co2 -Co1 :	50.8(3)
Co2 -Co1 -CCOA:	148.8(4)	Co1 -Co2 -CCOD:	149.8(4)
Co1 -P1 -C12 :	109.7(3)	Co2 -P2 -C12 :	108.9(3)
Co1 -P1 -C1A1:	121.8(3)	Co2 -P2 -C2A1:	123.8(3)
Co1 -P1 -C1B1:	115.4(3)	Co2 -P2 -C2B1:	111.9(3)
C12 -P1 -C1A1:	103.4(4)	C12 -P2 -C2A1:	103.5(4)
C12 -P1 -C1B1:	103.2(4)	C12 -P2 -C2B1:	104.3(4)
C1A1-P1 -C1B1:	101.3(4)	C2A1-P2 -C2B1:	102.6(4)
P1 -C12 -P2 :	106.4(5)		
CP11-CA1 -CA2 :	143.2(9)	CP21-CA2 -CA1 :	137.7(9)
CP11-CA1 -Co1 :	133.8(7)	CP21-CA2 -Co1 :	136.9(7)
CP11-CA1 -Co2 :	133.5(7)	CP21-CA2 -Co2 :	135.2(7)
CA2 -CA1 -Co1 :	69.4(6)	CA1 -CA2 -Co1 :	70.9(6)
CA2 -CA1 -Co2 :	70.7(6)	CA1 -CA2 -Co2 :	69.1(6)
Co1 -CA1 -Co2 :	78.5(4)	Co1 -CA2 -Co2 :	78.5(4)
Co1 -CCOA-OCOA:	179(1)	Co2 -CCOD-OCOD:	176(1)
Co1 -CCOB-OCOB:	175(1)	Co2 -CCOC-OCOC:	173(1)

and CCOD are *trans* to the cobalt-cobalt bond whereas the longer Co-C carbonyls are *trans* to the acetylene ligand. This confirms the *trans* influence also found in tris(hexa-carbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine.

There appears to be very little difference between the average Co-P length of 2.213Å and the sum of covalent radii which gives a value of 2.232Å.¹³² There is perhaps some double bond character but it is minimal. The P-P distance is 2.946(4)Å for the bridging ligand. Equivalent distances in the planar chelate complexes are 2.792Å¹⁸⁵ and 2.766Å.¹³⁶ The angle in Co₂(CO)₄ (PhCCPh) (Ph₂PCH₂PPh₂) is 106.4° whereas the P-C-P angles in the planar chelate complexes average 96.0°. The Co-P-C angles are about 15° larger than the equivalent angles in these complexes.

Bond lengths and angles observed for the diphenylacetylene ligand are in very good agreement with those observed in other such complexes. There appears to be little change in the acetylene due to the presence of the bulky bidentate ligand. The degree of twist of the phenyl rings with respect to the CP11-CA1-CA2-CP21 plane[†] totals 53.6°, a value similar to that observed for μ -diphenylacetylenehexacarbonyldicobalt⁷⁷ (62°), bis(cyclopentadienyl)- μ -diphenylacetylenedinitnickel (60°)¹⁹⁴ and W(O) π -(C₅H₅) σ -(C₅H₆) (PhCCPh) (57°)¹⁹⁵ In the Co₂(CO)₄ (PhCCPh).
[†]Sum of angles between two phenyl ring planes and plane quoted.

(Ph₂PCH₂PPh₂) molecule, the diphenylacetylene phenyl ring above the carbonyl ligands (CCOB/CCOC) is aligned such that its plane approximately bisects the distance between the two carbonyls. The other phenyl ring appears to be perturbed by the phenyl groups attached to the phosphorus atoms.

The diphenylacetylene ligand is not linear but there are angles of 137.7° for CP21-CA2-CA1 and 143.2° for CP11-CA1-CA2. The CA1-CA2 distance is 1.33(1) Å which indicates that the best approximation for the bond is double rather than triple. Since the phenyl carbon is considered sp² hybridized, the CP11-CA1 and CP21-CA2 distances should reflect two sp² hybridized carbons bonded together. The value for this is 1.476 Å¹⁹² which compares favourably with the measured distances of 1.46 and 1.49 Å. The C_{sp²}-C_{sp} distance is estimated as 1.426 Å. In the free ligand, studied by X-ray crystallography in 1938,²⁰⁷ the C≡C distance was 1.19 Å, the acetylenic carbon-phenyl carbon distance 1.40 Å and the average phenyl bond 1.39 Å. The acetylene was linear.

Again with this compound, the angle between the acetylenic carbons vector and the cobalt-cobalt vector is very close to a right angle (91.3°). There is a slight twist (7.7°) of the CCOA-Co1-Co2-CCOD plane with respect to the CA1-CA2 vector. The CCOA-Co1-Co2 and CCOD-Co2-Co1

angles are 148.8 and 149.8° respectively which are similar to those angles found for tris(hexacarbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine. In summation, the bonding of the diphenylacetylene unit seems quite usual.

The atoms which are not part of the phenyl rings were refined anisotropically. These atoms do not appear to be very anisotropic. The major, median and minor axes of the thermal ellipsoids are listed in Table IV-C-3 along with their direction cosines for the individual atoms.

As expected, non-bonded intramolecular contacts below 3.0 Å are plentiful and they are all quoted in Table IV-C-4. Although some of these are close to the sum of van der Waal's radii, this is but indicative of the degree of steric strain associated with the molecule. Inter-molecular contacts to 3.0 Å are quoted in Table IV-C-5. No untoward values are found here. Figure IV-C-3 gives the packing diagram of the molecules in the monoclinic cell as viewed down the a axis.

2. The Crystal and Molecular Structure of the Di- μ -(bis(diphenylarsino)methane)- μ -(diphenylacetylene)dicarbonyldicobalt • 1,2-Dichloroethane Solvate.

The molecules are similar to those of μ -(bis(diphenylphosphino)methane)- μ -(diphenylacetylene)tetra-

TABLE IV-C-3

THERMAL VIBRATION ELLIPSOIDS^a - μ -{BIS(DIPHENYLPHOSPHINO)-
METHANE}- μ -(DIPHENYLACETYLENE)TETRACARBONYLDICOBALT

Atom	Axes ^b	Direction Cosines		
Co1	4.60	0.63355	0.08459	-.76907
	3.29	0.53749	0.66683	0.51615
	2.70	0.55645	-.74040	0.37700
Co2	4.83	0.76129	0.55741	-.33134
	3.95	0.40148	-.80638	-.43429
	2.94	0.50925	-.19760	0.83762
P1	3.98	0.78170	0.37154	-.50093
	2.88	0.62284	-.42422	0.85732
	2.70	-.03176	0.82583	0.56303
P2	4.42	0.69460	0.53972	-.47568
	3.22	0.67693	-.26646	0.68611
	2.62	0.23460	-.79856	-.55044
Cl2	5.09	0.92405	0.37214	0.08770
	3.51	-.06681	-.06870	0.99540
	1.65	0.37651	-.93563	-.03862
CA1	5.17	0.43885	-.53332	-.72319
	3.48	0.39683	-.60704	0.68848
	2.46	0.00622	0.58913	0.05473
CA2	4.89	0.81433	-.00777	-.58035
	3.31	0.17830	0.95488	0.23749
	2.33	0.55230	-.29691	0.77897
CCOA	5.35	0.79189	-.55598	-.25268
	4.63	0.31262	0.01360	0.94978
	3.03	0.52468	0.83108	-.18558
OCCA	8.27	0.51386	0.33926	0.78793
	7.66	0.16468	0.86241	-.47869
	4.07	0.84194	-.37570	-.38732
CCOB	6.92	0.40613	-.15047	-.90135
	4.73	0.41990	0.90681	0.03779
	2.27	0.81164	-.39378	0.43144
OCCB	11.40	0.19720	-.26295	-.94444
	6.48	0.96942	0.19575	0.14791
	3.18	0.14593	-.95574	0.29351

TABLE IV-C-3 (CONT'D)

CCOC	8.19	0.22711	-.84358	-.48664
	6.69	0.96897	0.24588	0.02588
	3.86	0.09779	-.47741	0.87322
OCOC	17.78	0.11813	-.74352	-.65821
	9.53	0.96354	-.07447	0.25699
	4.65	0.24013	0.66455	-.70762
CCOD	9.16	0.70630	0.51933	-.48112
	5.74	0.59695	-.80225	0.01027
	3.32	0.38062	0.29444	0.87659
OCOD	16.08	0.58891	0.64345	-.48909
	11.64	0.79176	-.58069	0.18937
	3.95	0.16213	0.49877	0.85143

- a. Given in the order of major, median and minor axes.
- b. Axes lengths are in units of B where the root mean square displacement $(\bar{U}^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} = (B/8\pi^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}$.

TABLE IV-C-4

NON-BONDED INTRAMOLECULAR CONTACTS (Å) FOR μ -(BIS(DIPHENYL-
PHOSPHINO)METHANE)- μ -(DIPHENYLACETYLENE)TETRACARBONYLDICOBALT

P1 -CCOA:	2.983	P2 -CCOD:	2.980
P1 -H121:	2.324	P2 -H121:	2.331
P1 -H122:	2.324	P2 -H122:	2.331
C12 -C1A1:	2.870	C12 -C2A1:	2.868
C12 -C1B1:	2.867	C12 -C2B1:	2.899
C12 -H1A2:	2.976	C12 -H2B6:	2.760
C12 -H1B2:	2.608		
CA1 -CP21:	2.632	CA2 -CP11:	2.645
CA1 -CCOA:	2.916	CA1 -CCOD:	2.789
CA1 -CCOB:	2.901	CA1 -CCOC:	2.899
CA2 -CCOA:	2.770	CA2 -CCOD:	2.846
CA2 -H122:	2.995	CCOA-HP26:	2.768
CCOA-CCOB:	2.689	CCOC-CCOD:	2.646
CCOB-H1A6:	2.508	CCOC-H2A6:	2.562
OCOB-H1A6:	2.732	OCOC-H2A6:	2.809
CCOB-HP12:	2.802	CCOD-HP22:	2.787
OCOB-HP12:	2.817	OCOD-HP22:	2.938
C1A1-C1B1:	2.818	C1A1-H1B6:	2.986
C1A1-H121:	2.835	C1A2-H121:	2.786
C1B1-H1A2:	2.941	C1B1-H122:	2.977
C1B2-HP26:	2.918	C1B2-H122:	2.861

TABLE IV-C-4 (CONT'D)

C2A1-C2B1:	2.839	C2A1-H2B2:	2.769
C2A1-H121:	2.774	C2A2-H121:	2.808
C2B1-H2A2:	2.947	C2B1-H122:	2.911
C2B6-H122:	2.784		
CP21-H2B6:	2.943	CP21-HP16:	2.999
CP21-H122:	2.913	CP22-HP16:	2.831
CP26-H122:	2.735		
H1A2-H121:	2.334	H1B2-HP26:	2.668
H1B2-H121:	2.640	H1B2-H122:	2.198
H2A2-H121:	2.477	H2B6-H122:	2.119
HP16-HP22:	2.584	HP26-H122:	2.585

TABLE IV-C-5

INTERMOLECULAR CONTACTS (\AA) FOR μ -{BIS(DIPHENYLPHOSPHINO)-METHANE}- μ -(DIPHENYLACETYLENE)TETRACARBONYLDICOBALT.^{a,b}

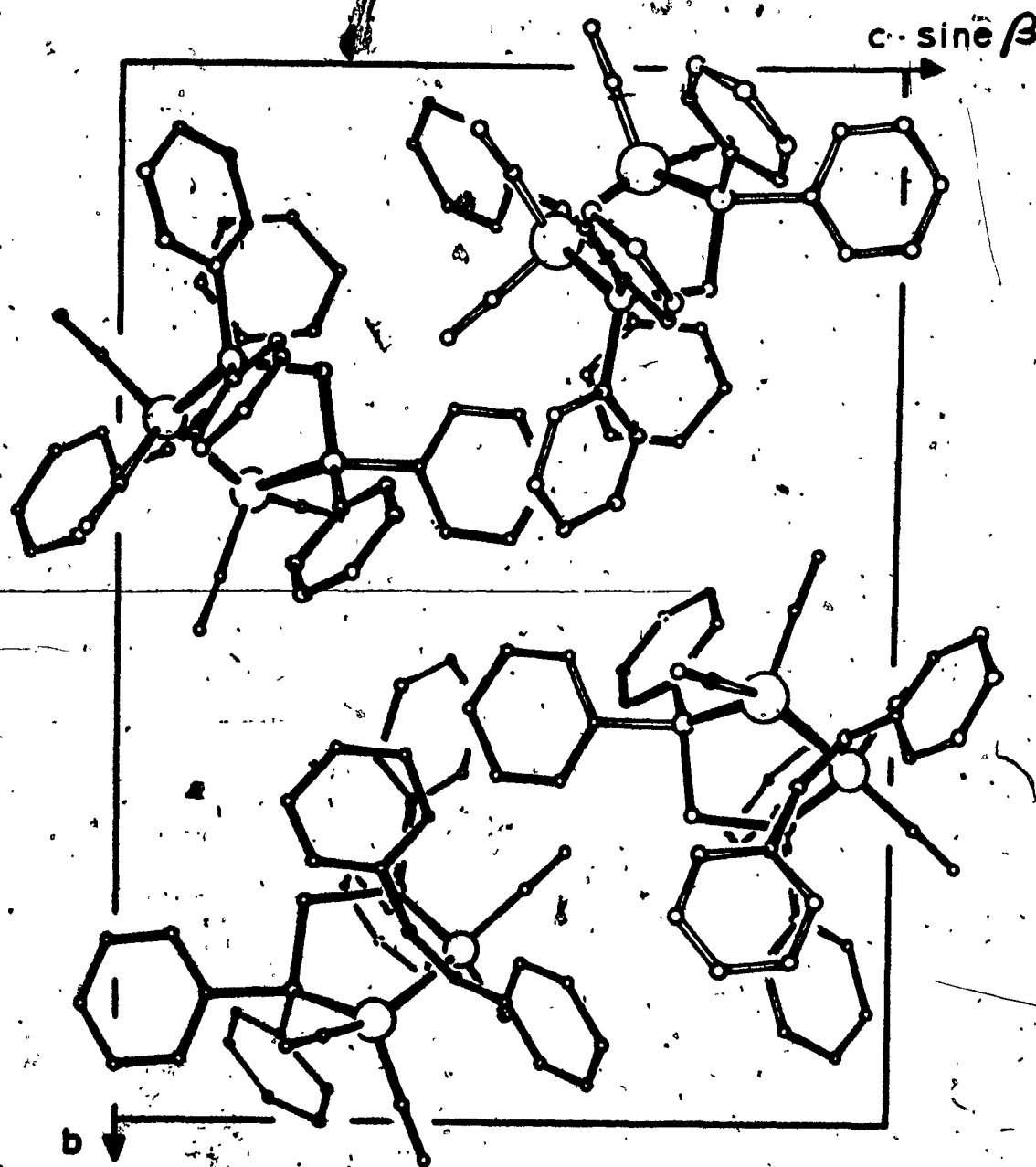
ClA3-H1B5:	2.901 V	H1A2-HP22:	2.843 VI
C2A3-H1B3:	2.885 VII	H1A4-HP13:	2.880 IV
C2B3-H2B4:	2.835 II	H1A5-HP12:	2.950 IV
C2B4-H2B4:	2.877 II	H1A6-HP24:	2.922 VIII
C2B5-HP14:	2.962 VI	H1B2-HP15:	2.479 VI
CCOB-HP14:	2.987 II	H1B2-HP16:	2.805 VI
OCOB-HP14:	2.891 II	H1B6-HP23:	2.794 VIII
OCOA-HP13:	2.977 II	H2A4-HP16:	2.646 I
OCOA-H2B5:	2.779 VIII	H2A5-HP15:	2.974 I
OCOB-HP24:	2.947 VIII	H2A5-HP12:	2.668 IV
OCOC-H1A5:	2.793 IV	H2A5-HP13:	2.695 IV
OCOC-H1A6:	2.695 IV	H2B2-H1B3:	2.811 VII
H1A2-OCOD:	2.970 VI	H2B3-H2B4:	2.212 II
H2A3-OCOD:	2.903 VI	H2B4-H2B4:	2.303 II
H2A5-CP15:	2.990 I	H2B5-HP14:	2.408 VI
		H2B6-HP14:	2.838 VI

a. Only atomic contacts less than 3.0\AA are quoted.

b. The following transformations give the position of the second atom listed relative to the first which has the co-ordinates (x, y, z) listed in Table B-2, Appendix B:

I	$1 + x, y, z$	V	$1 - x, -y, 1 - z$
II	$1 - x, -y, -z$	VI	$\frac{1}{2} + x, \frac{1}{2} - y, \frac{1}{2} + z$
III	$-x, 1 - y, -z$	VII	$\frac{1}{2} + x, \frac{1}{2} - y, -\frac{1}{2} + z$
IV	$1 - x, 1 - y, -z$	VIII	$\frac{1}{2} - x, \frac{1}{2} + y, \frac{1}{2} - z$

Figure IV-C-3. Packing diagram for molecules of $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$ ·
(PhCCPh) (Ph₂PCH₂PPh₂) in the monoclinic
cell as viewed down the a axis.

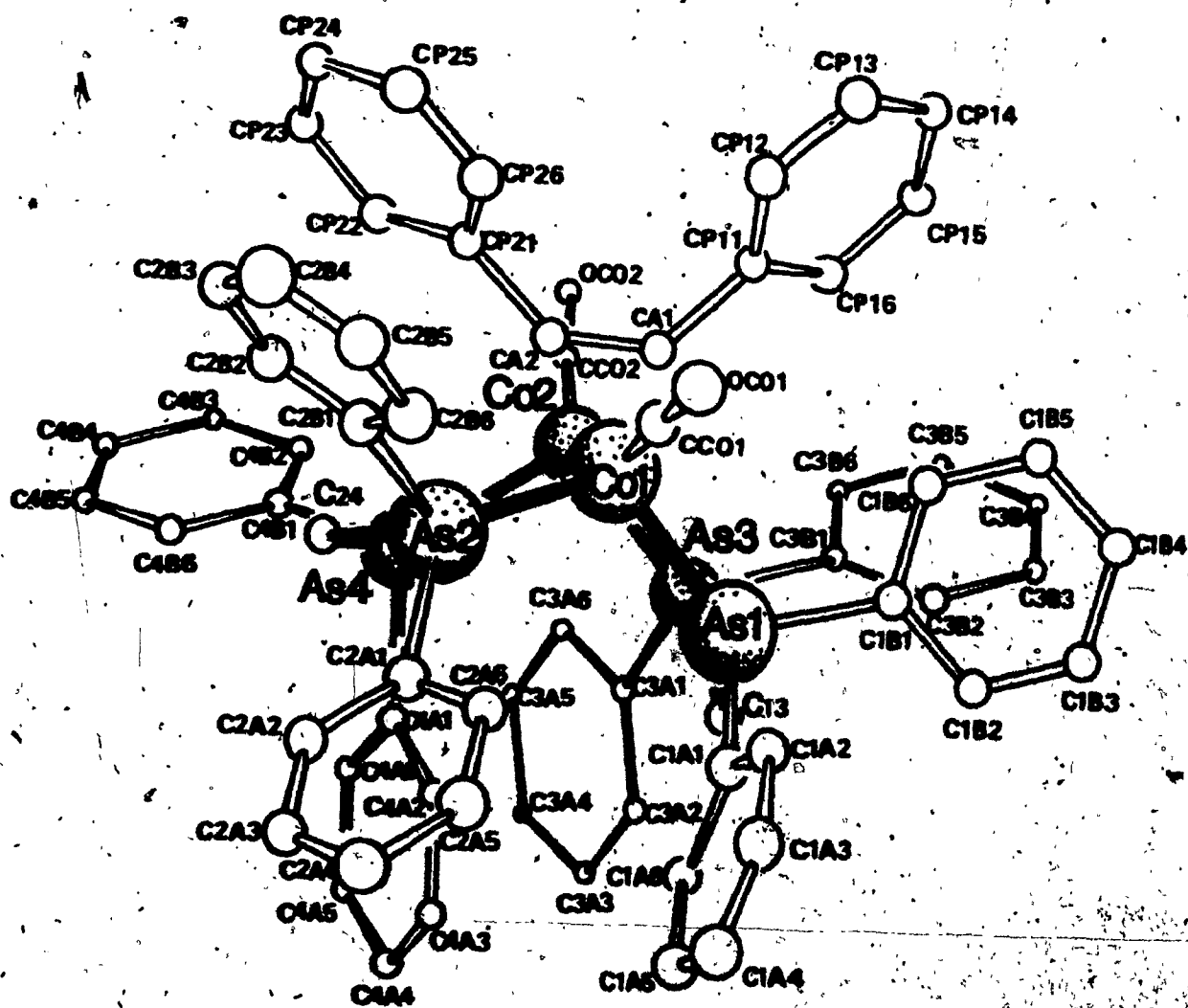


carbonyldicobalt. The two carbonyl ligands *trans* to the CA2 atom in this complex are replaced with a second bis(diphenylarsino)methane ligand in $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_2(\text{PhCCPh}) \cdot (\text{Ph}_2\text{AsCH}_2\text{AsPh}_2)_2$. Figure IV-C-4 provides a view of the molecule with all the atoms included. The cobalt-arsenic-methylene carbon skeleton is accentuated by shadowing and darkening of the bonds. The numbering scheme is also given in this diagram.

The As2-As4 bridging ligand has a configuration similar to that of the diphosphine in the $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_4(\text{PhCCPh})(\text{Ph}_2\text{PCH}_2\text{PPh}_2)$ complex with the methylene carbon (C24) pointing 'upwards' towards the diphenylacetylene moiety. The angle between the As2-C24-As4 plane and the least squares plane to Co1-Co2-As2-As4 is 152.3° which is approximately 17° larger than that in $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_4(\text{PhCCPh})(\text{Ph}_2\text{PCH}_2\text{PPh}_2)$. The angle of twist of the ligand (angle between the Co1-Co2 vector and the As2-As4 vector) is 7.9° which is very similar to that found in the 1:1 phosphorus complex.

The second bidentate bridge is bent away from the diphenylacetylene ligand by approximately the same angle (151.1°) although the ligand is not twisted as can clearly be seen from Figure IV-C-5. The Co1-Co2 vector and the As1-As3 vector are parallel for all intents and purposes.

Figure IV-C-4. The molecular configuration and numbering scheme for di- μ -(bis(diphenylarsino)methane)- μ -(diphenylacetylene)dicarbonyldicobalt.



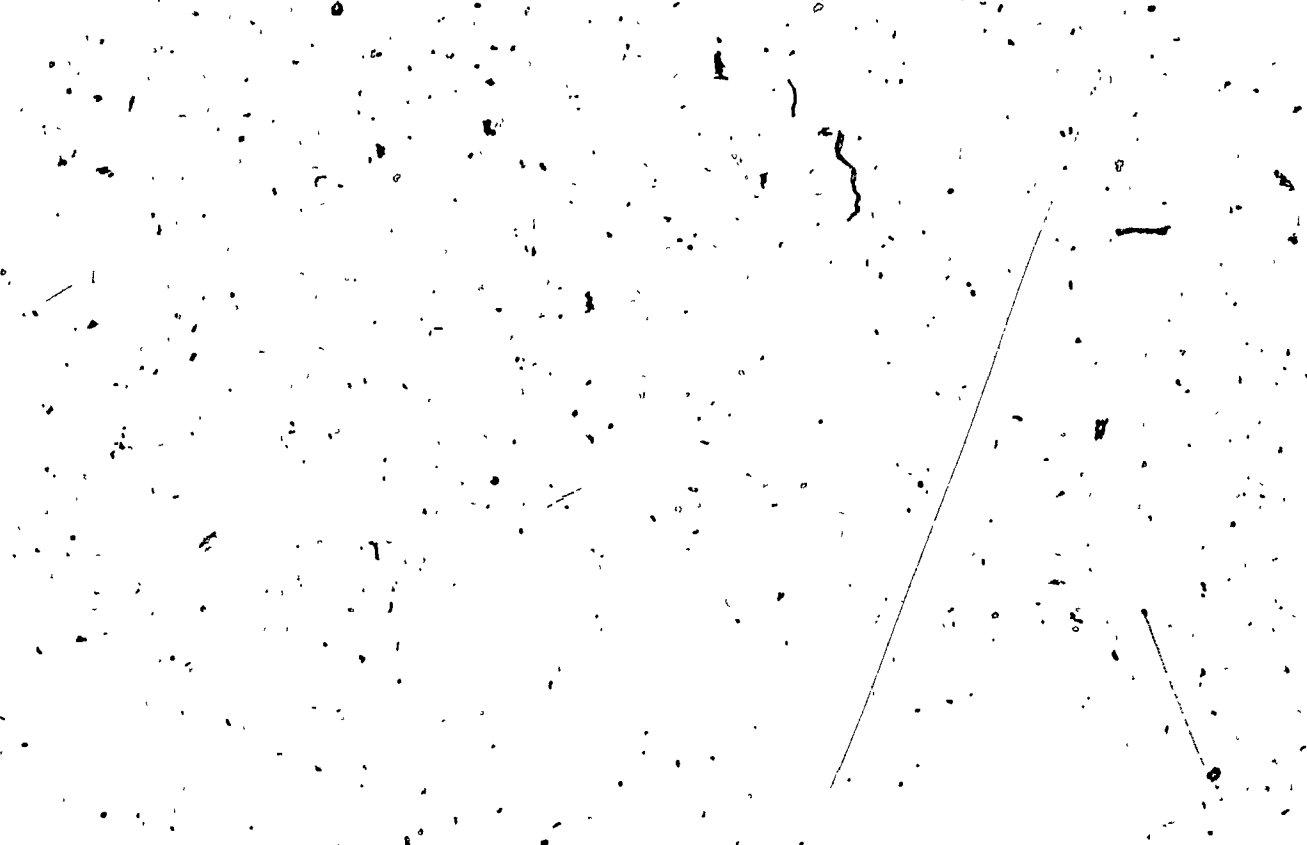
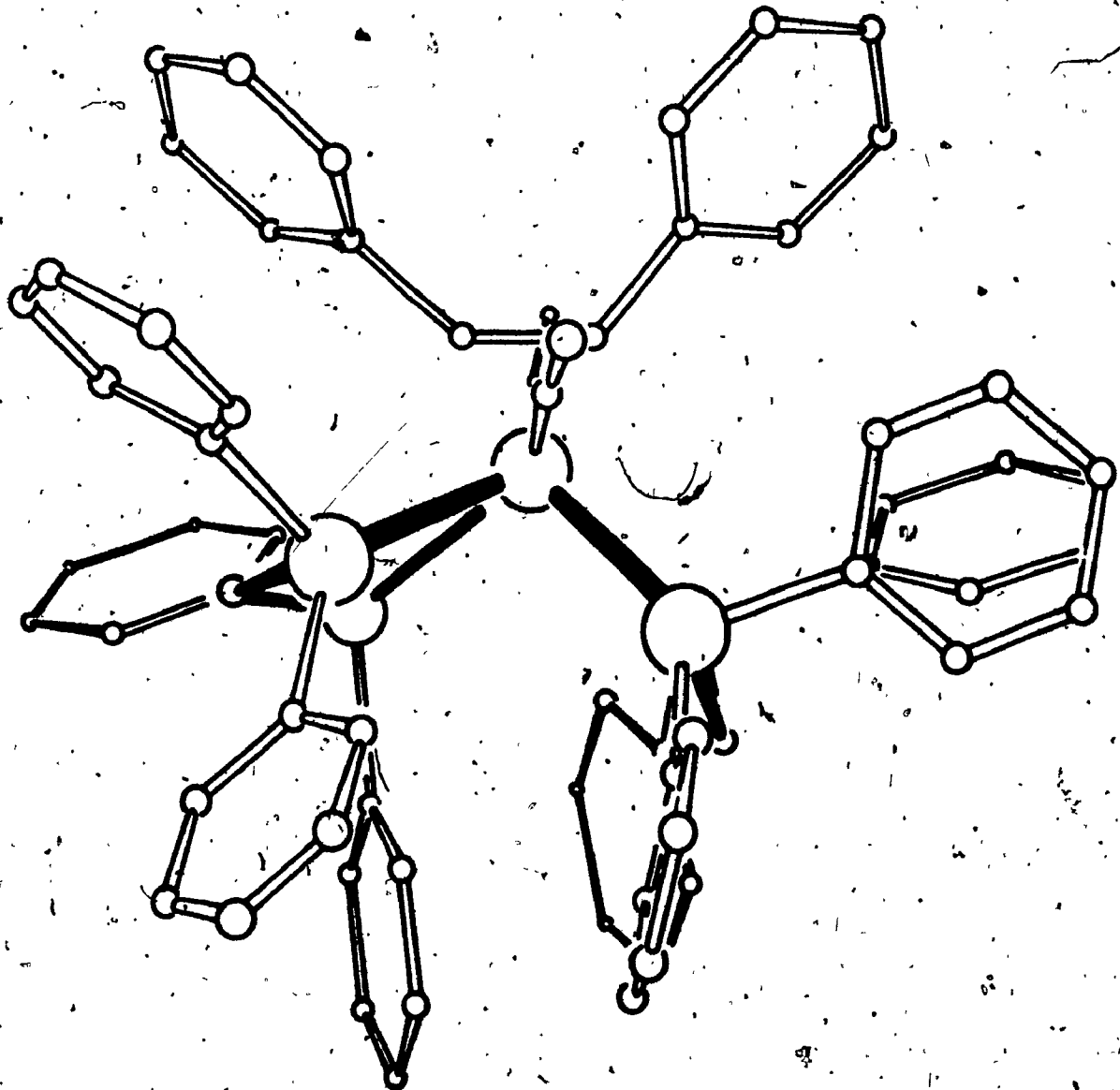


Figure IV-C-5. A view of di- μ -(bis(diphenylarsino)methane)- μ -(diphenylacetylene)dicarbonyldicobalt down the Co-Co bond vector.



Tables IV-C-6 and IV-C-7 give the bond lengths and angles respectively for the di- μ -{bis(diphenylarsino)methane}- μ -(diphenylacetylene)dicarbonyldicobalt 1,2-dichloroethane solvate. The cobalt-arsenic distances average 2.334 Å which, as with the phosphorus 1:1 complex, is near the sum of covalent radii for the cobalt and arsenic atoms. The cobalt-cobalt bond is 2.518(4) Å which is significantly longer than that in $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_4(\text{PhCCPh})(\text{Ph}_2\text{PCH}_2\text{PPh}_2)$ (2.459(2) Å). In point of fact, the value of 2.518 Å is at the upper limit of the range of cobalt-cobalt bond lengths reported.²⁰⁸ An explanation for this 0.06 Å difference in cobalt-cobalt distances for the two complexes may well depend upon the difference in the 'bites' of the two ligands. The average As-As distance in the complex is 3.202 Å whereas the P-P distance in $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_4(\text{PhCCPh})(\text{Ph}_2\text{PCH}_2\text{PPh}_2)$ is 2.946 Å. The Co-As-C(methylene) angles average 113.4° whereas the Co-P-C(methylene) angles average only 109.3°. Both these facts imply that the bridging bidentate arsenic ligand may be causing the Co-Co bond to stretch to accommodate the ligands.

While it is true that the 'bite' of the $(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{AsC}-\text{C}(\text{As}(\text{CH}_3)_2)\text{CF}_2\text{CF}_2$ ligand is even larger at 4.064 Å in the complex $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6((\text{CH}_3)_2\text{AsC}-\text{C}(\text{As}(\text{CH}_3)_2)\text{CF}_2\text{CF}_2)$,^{172,173} the cobalt-cobalt bond is not appreciably stretched (2.483(4) Å) as in the complex reported here. It must be remembered that two of the six carbonyls are bridging in the complex and this may contribute to the shortening of an otherwise

TABLE IV-C-6

BOND LENGTHS (Å) IN THE DI-μ-(BIS(DIPHENYLARSINO)METHANE)-μ-(DIPHENYLACETYLENE)DICARBONYLDICOBALT · 1,2-DICHLOROETHANE

Co1-Co2 :	2.518(4)	CA1-CA2 :	1.37(3)
Co1-CCO1:	1.71(2)	Co2-CCO2:	1.78(2)
Co1-CA1 :	1.96(2)	Co2-CA2 :	1.97(2)
Co1-CA2 :	1.96(2)	Co2-CA1 :	1.93(2)
CCO1-OCO1:	1.17(2)	CCO2-OCO2:	1.13(2)
Co1-As1 :	2.326(4)	Co2-As3 :	2.332(4)
Co1-As2 :	2.330(3)	Co2-As4 :	2.348(3)
As1-As3 :	3.165(3)	As2-As4 :	3.240(3)
As1-C13 :	2.01(2)	As3-C13 :	1.99(2)
As1-C1A1:	1.96(1)	As3-C3A1:	1.95(1)
As1-C1B1:	1.98(1)	As3-C3B1:	1.99(1)
As2-C24 :	1.98(2)	As4-C24 :	2.01(2)
As2-C2A1:	1.97(1)	As4-C4A1:	1.95(1)
As2-C2B1:	1.98(1)	As4-C4B1:	1.95(1)
CA1-CP11:	1.48(2)	CA2-CP21:	1.50(2)
CS1-C71 :	1.79(3)	CS2-C72 :	1.82(4)
CS1-CS2 :	1.44(6)		

TABLE IV-C-7

BOND ANGLES (°) IN THE DI-μ-{BIS(DIPHENYLARSINO)METHANE}-μ-(DIPHENYLACETYLENE)DICARBONYLDICOBALT · 1,2-DICHLOROETHANE

As1 -Co1 -Co2 :	96.2(1)	As3 -Co2 -Co1 :	99.7(1)
As1 -Co1 -As2 :	110.0(1)	As3 -Co2 -As4 :	98.7(1)
As1 -Co1 -CCO1:	98.2(6)	As3 -Co2 -CCO2:	97.7(6)
As1 -Co1 -CA1 :	108.4(6)	As3 -Co2 -CA1 :	108.3(6)
CA2 -Co1 -Co2 :	50.3(6)	CA2 -Co2 -Co1 :	49.8(6)
CA2 -Co1 -As2 :	92.1(6)	CA2 -Co2 -As4 :	101.7(6)
CA2 -Co1 -CCO1:	107.9(9)	CA2 -Co2 -CCO2:	104.8(8)
CA2 -Co1 -CA1 :	41.0(8)	CA2 -Co2 -CA1 :	41.1(9)
Co2 -Co1 -As2 :	99.5(1)	Co1 -Co2 -As4 :	96.9(1)
As2 -Co1 -CCO1:	96.9(6)	As4 -Co2 -CCO2:	103.6(6)
CCO1-Co1 -CA1 :	104.3(8)	CCO2-Co2 -CA1 :	101.8(8)
CA1 -Co1 -Co2 :	49.1(6)	CA1 -Co2 -Co1 :	50.1(6)
Co2 -Co1 -CCO1:	152.9(6)	Co1 -Co2 -CCO2:	150.6(6)
Co1 -As1 -Cl3 :	116.4(5)	Co1 -As2 -C24 :	113.4(5)
Co1 -As1 -ClA1:	124.1(4)	Co1 -As2 -C2A1:	125.6(4)
Co1 -As1 -ClB1:	116.5(5)	Co1 -As2 -C2B1:	114.4(4)
Cl3 -As1 -ClA1:	99.1(7)	C24 -As2 -C2A1:	103.6(6)
Cl3 -As1 -ClB1:	100.6(7)	C24 -As2 -C2B1:	100.0(6)
ClA1-As1 -ClB1:	95.7(5)	C2A1-As2 -C2B1:	95.8(5)
Co2 -As3 -Cl3 :	113.1(6)	Co2 -As4 -C24 :	110.9(5)
Co2 -As3 -C3A1:	116.4(4)	Co2 -As4 -C4A1:	122.8(4)
Co2 -As3 -C3B1:	122.9(4)	Co2 -As4 -C4B1:	121.7(4)
Cl3 -As3 -C3A1:	101.0(7)	C24 -As4 -C4A1:	97.6(6)
Cl3 -As3 -C3B1:	102.6(7)	C24 -As4 -C4B1:	98.8(6)
C3A1-As3 -C3B1:	97.5(6)	C4A1-As4 -C4B1:	100.1(6)
As1 -Cl3 -As3 :	104.7(9)	As2 -C24 -As4 :	108.4(8)
CP11-CA1 -CA2 :	132(2)	CP21-CA2 -CA1 :	140(2)
CP11-CA1 -Co1 :	135(1)	CP21-CA2 -Co1 :	136(1)
CP11-CA1 -Co2 :	139(1)	CP21-CA2 -Co2 :	135(1)

TABLE IV-C-7 (CONT'D)

CA2 -CA1 -Co1 :	69 (1)	CA1 -CA2 -Co1 :	70 (1)
CA2 -CA1 -Co2 :	71 (1)	CA1 -CA2 -Co2 :	68 (1)
Co1 -CA1 -Co2 :	81 (1)	Co1 -CA1 -Co2 :	80 (1)
Co1 -CC01-OCO1:	175 (2)	Co2 -CC02-OCO2:	172 (2)
C71 -CS1 -CS2 :	112 (3)	C72 -CS2 -CS1 :	102 (3)

potentially very long cobalt-cobalt bond.

The two carbonyl ligands in $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_2 \cdot (\text{PhCCPh})(\text{Ph}_2\text{AsCH}_2\text{AsPh}_2)_2$ are bent away from the acetylenic ligand by a slightly larger amount than in the phosphorus 1:1 complex. Angles CCO1-Co1-Co2 and CCO2-Co2-Co1 are 152.9° and 150.6° respectively. The OCO1-CCO1-Co1 and OCO2-CCO2-Co2 angles are 175° and 172° respectively and the oxygens are moved away from the 'side' of the molecule with the methylene carbon (C24) pointed upwards toward the acetylene. From Figures IV-C-4 and IV-C-5 it can be seen that there are closer contacts between these oxygens and the phenyl groups attached to As2 and As4.

The CA1-CA2 bond is longer ($1.37(3)\text{\AA}$) than in the phosphorus 1:1 complex ($1.33(1)\text{\AA}$) but the difference is not significant within estimated standard deviations. The acetylenic phenyl groups in this complex are not oriented as they are in other diphenylacetylene dicobalt complexes. It has been observed that an angular difference of some $50-60^\circ$ exists between the rings and the $\text{C-C}\equiv\text{C-C}$ plane (Section A, Part 7). This angle was found to be 53.6° in the $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_4 \cdot (\text{PhCCPh})(\text{Ph}_2\text{PCH}_2\text{PPh}_2)$ complex but in the arsenic 2:1 analog, both rings 'face away from' (see Figure IV-C-5) the As2-Co1-As1 'side' of the molecule with angles of 45° and 25° for the CP2 and CP1 rings respectively.

If Figures IV-C-2 and IV-C-5 are compared, it can be seen that the acetylenic phenyl ring that is above the bidentate bridging ligand in both complexes has the same orientation. This is probably a consequence of the similar positions of the phenyl groups 'B' attached to the group V_B atoms. In the case where only carbonyl ligands can influence the second acetylenic phenyl ring, in $Co_2(CO)_4(PhCCPh)(Ph_2PCH_2PPh_2)$, the angular difference of 53° is preserved. However, the presence of the two 'B' phenyl rings attached to the second bridging bidentate ligand in $Co_2(CO)_2(PhCCPh)(Ph_2AsCH_2AsPh_2)_2$ does not permit the plane of the second acetylenic phenyl ring to lie between them and therefore the bend must occur.

Tables IV-C-8 and IV-C-9 give the intra- and intermolecular contacts to 3.0\AA for the complex in the triclinic cell. Figure IV-C-6 gives a view of the unit cell down the c axis. The 1,2-dichloroethane molecule does not seem to play a significant role in determining the geometry of the complex. There is some interaction however since only the more polar form (*gauche*) of the 1,2-dichloroethane molecule exists in the crystal.

As a gas or in solution, 1,2-dichloroethane exists in both *gauche* and *trans* forms with $27\% \pm 5\%$ of the molecules preferring the *gauche* conformation.²⁰⁹ The angle between the planes $C11-CS1-CS2$ and the plane $C12-CS2-CS1$

TABLE IV-C-8

NON-BONDED INTRAMOLECULAR CONTACTS (Å) FOR DI-μ-[BIS(DIPHENYL-ARSINO)METHANE]-μ-(DIPHENYLACETYLENE)DICARBONYLDICOBALT · 1,2-

DICHLOROETHANE SOLVATE

As1 -ClA2:	2.886	As1 -ClB2:	2.956
As1 -ClA6:	2.943	As1 -ClB6:	2.902
As1 -H1A2:	2.937	As1 -H1B2:	3.040
As1 -H1A6:	3.030	As1 -H1B6:	2.949
As1 -H131:	2.455	As1 -H132:	2.455
As2 -C2A2:	2.958	As2 -C2B2:	2.978
As2 -C2A6:	2.885	As2 -C2B6:	2.897
As2 -H2A6:	2.928	As2 -H2B6:	2.933
As2 -H241:	2.432	As2 -H242:	2.432
As3 -C3A2:	2.951	As3 -C3B2:	2.957
As3 -C3A6:	2.866	As3 -C3B6:	2.933
As3 -H3A6:	2.907	As3 -H3B6:	2.987
As3 -H131:	2.436	As3 -H132:	2.436
As4 -C4A2:	2.916	As4 -C4B2:	2.909
As4 -C4A6:	2.897	As4 -C4B6:	2.895
As4 -H4A2:	2.992	As4 -H4B2:	2.984
As4 -H4A6:	2.961	As4 -H4B6:	2.962
As4 -H241:	2.464	As4 -H242:	2.464
Cl3 -H1A6:	2.685	C24 -C4A1:	2.982
Cl3 -H3A2:	2.696	C24 -H2A2:	2.769
Cl3 -H3A2:	2.696	C24 -H2B2:	2.665
Cl3 -H3B2:	2.706	C24 -H4B6:	2.673
CA1 -CCO1:	2.898	CA2 -CCO1:	2.964
CA1 -CCO2:	2.879	CA2 -CCO2:	2.970
CA1 -CP12:	2.515	CA1 -HP12:	2.698
CA1 -CP16:	2.466	CA1 -HP16:	2.619
CA2 -CP22:	2.525	CA2 -HP22:	2.704
CA2 -CP26:	2.479	CA2 -HP26:	2.630
CA2 -CP11:	2.610		
CCO1-H1B6:	2.834	CCO2-H3A6:	2.772

TABLE IV-C-8 (CONT'D)

CCO1-HP26:	2.928	CCO2-H4B2:	2.672
OCO1-H2B6:	2.976	OCO2-H4B2:	2.788
C11 -CS2 :	2.693	C12 -CS1 :	2.552
CP11-H1B6:	2.780		
C1A1-C1B1:	2.920	C1A1-H1B2:	2.935
C1B2-H3B2:	2.611	C1A2-H2A6:	2.824
C1A6-H131:	2.840	C1B1-H132:	2.891
C1B2-H132:	2.921	C2A1-H241:	2.911
C2A1-H4A2:	2.809	C2A6-H2B6:	2.918
C2B1-H242:	2.893	C2B2-H242:	2.669
C3A1-C3B1:	2.968	C3B1-HP16:	2.780
C3A1-H131:	2.885	C3A2-H131:	2.923
C3B1-H132:	2.923	C3B2-H132:	2.717
C3B6-HP16:	2.888	C4A1-C4B1:	2.988
C4A1-H241:	2.807	C4A2-H131:	2.815
C4B1-H4A6:	2.641	C4B1-H242:	2.991
H1A2-H2A6:	2.993	H1A6-H4A2:	2.782
H1A6-H131:	2.124	H1A6-H132:	2.987
H1B2-H3B2:	2.775	H2A6-H2B6:	2.582
H1B2-H132:	2.566	H2A2-H241:	2.023
H2B2-H242:	1.953	H3A2-H131:	2.381
H3A2-H132:	2.699	H3A6-H3B6:	2.716
H3A6-H4B2:	2.543	H3B2-H132:	2.045
H4A2-H131:	2.683	H4A2-H241:	2.834
H4B6-H241:	2.397	H4B6-H242:	2.638
HP12-HP26:	2.259		

TABLE IV-C-9

INTERMOLECULAR CONTACTS (\AA) FOR DI- μ -(BIS(DIPHENYLARSINO)-
METHANE)- μ -(DIPHENYLACETYLENE)DICARBONYLDICOBALT SOLVATE^{a,b}

C2A2-H2B2:	2.862 IX	H2A2-H2B2:	2.147 IX
C2B2-H2A2:	2.778 IX	H2A2-H242:	2.894 LX
C3A2-H3B3:	2.995 VI	H2A3-H2B4:	2.567 IX
H2B5-C3A4:	2.883 IV	H2A3-HP23:	2.586 IX
C4B5-H3A4:	2.846 V	H2A4-H3B5:	2.751 I
CP21-H4B3:	2.877 VII	H2A4-H3B6:	2.743 I
CP22-H4B3:	2.784 VII	H2B4-H3A5:	2.403 IV
CP23-H2A3:	2.866 IX	H2B5-H3A4:	2.718 IV
CP25-H4A4:	2.976 III	H3A2-H3B3:	2.252 VI
OC01-H1A2:	2.844 XI	H3A3-H4B4:	2.632 V
OC01-H1A3:	2.994 XI	H3A4-H4A5:	2.987 V
OC02-HP23:	2.602 VII	H3A4-H4B5:	2.949 V
CZ1 -H4A3:	2.778 VIII	H3A5-H4A5:	2.658 V
CZ1 -HP12:	2.945 XI	H3A6-HP23:	2.820 VII
CS2 -H2B5:	2.970 XI	H3B4-HP13:	2.984 X
H1A3-H1B5:	2.987 XI	H4B2-HP23:	2.987 VII
H1A3-H1B6:	2.849 XI	HP14-HP15:	2.833 X
H1A4-H3B4:	2.369 I	HP25-H4A4:	2.705 III
H1A4-H3B5:	2.871 I	H1B3-H2B5:	2.643 XI
H1B4-H3A3:	2.937 VI	H1B4-H4B5:	2.621 II
H1B5-H2A5:	2.728 XI	H1B5-HP15:	2.814 X

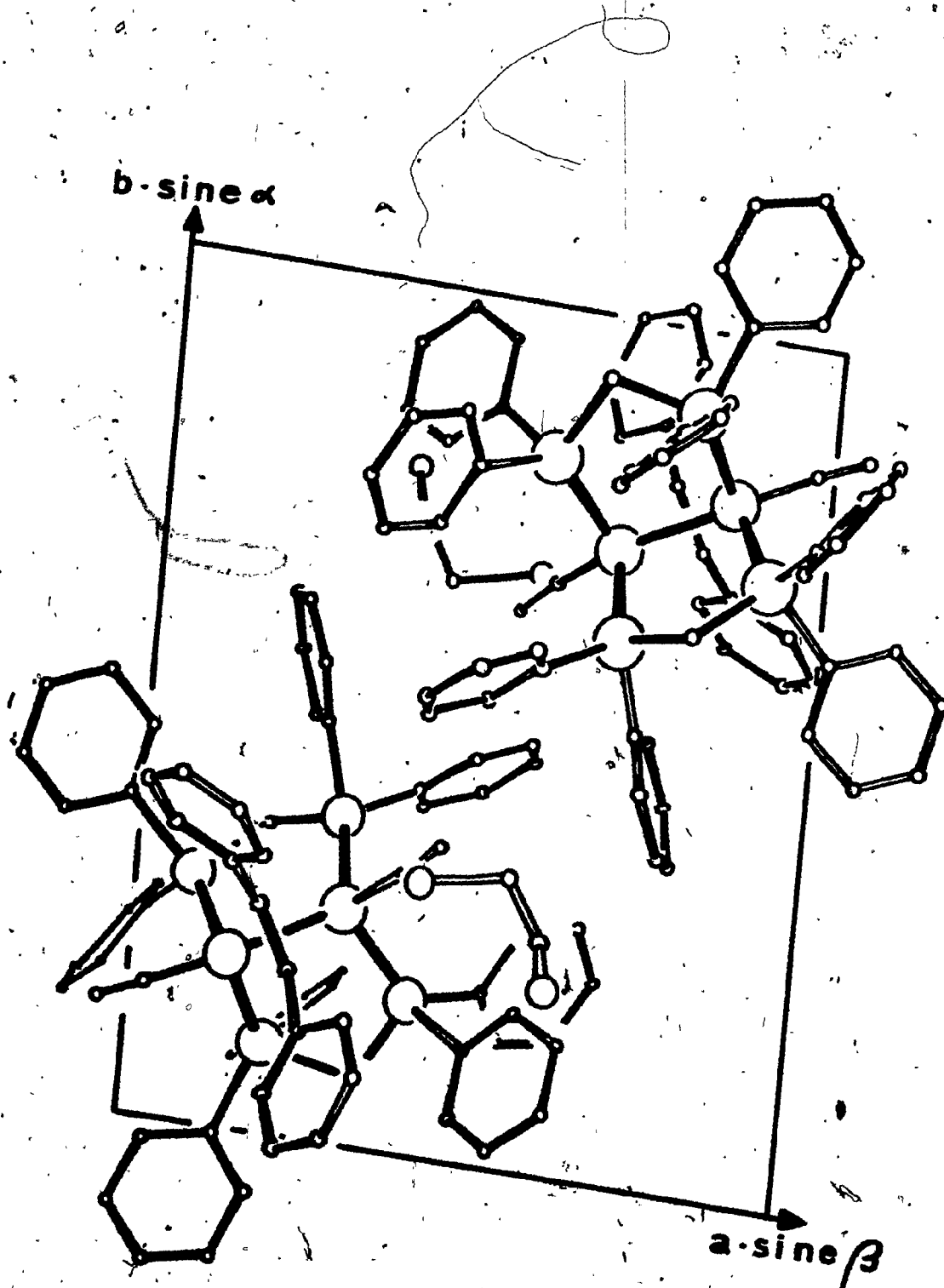
^a Only atomic contacts less than 3.0\AA are quoted.

^b The following transformations give the position of the second atom listed relative to the first which has the co-ordinates (x, y, z) listed in Table C-2, Appendix C:

I	$1 + x, y, z$	VI	$-x, 1 - y, -z$
II	$x, 1 + y, z$	VII	$-x, -y, 1 - z$
III	$x, y, 1 + z$	VIII	$1 - x, 1 - y, -z$
IV	$1 + x, y, 1 + z$	IX	$1 - x, y, 1 - z$
V	$-x, -y, -z$	X	$-x, 1 - y, 1 - z$
		XI	$1 - x, 1 - y, 1 - z$

Figure IV-C-6. Packing diagram for molecules of $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_2 \cdot (\text{PhCCPh})(\text{Ph}_2\text{AsCH}_2\text{AsPh}_2)_2$ and 1,2-dichloroethane in the triclinic cell as viewed down the c axis.

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is 71° in the *gauche* rotational isomer and C-Cl and C-C distances are $1.78(1)\text{\AA}$ and $1.48(3)\text{\AA}$ as determined by electron diffraction. The Cl -C-C angles were measured and averaged $110 \pm 3^\circ$. In the *gauche* molecule observed in this crystal, the angle is 78° and the C-Cl and C-C distances are $1.80(4)\text{\AA}$ and $1.44(6)\text{\AA}$ respectively. The Cl -C-C angles average 107° .

The vibration ellipsoids for the atoms of the solvent molecule are very large as expected. Table IV-C-10 gives the major, median and minor axes as well as their direction cosines. The thermal ellipsoids of the atoms in the $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_2(\text{PhCCPh})(\text{Ph}_2\text{AsCH}_2\text{AsPh}_2)_2$ molecule are not unusual and the atoms do not appear to be appreciably anisotropic.

No appreciable change occurs in the acetylenic-cobalt bonding when the carbonyl ligands are successively substituted with group V_B ligands. Whatever changes do occur can be explained on the basis of steric repulsions caused by the bulky diphosphine and diarsine phenyl rings.

TABLE IV-C-10

THERMAL VIBRATION ELLIPSOIDS^a - DI-μ-{BIS(DIPHENYLARSINO)-
METHANE}-μ-{DIPHENYLACETYLENE) DICARBONYLDICOBALT

Atom	Axes ^b	Direction Cosines		
Co1	4.55	0.52921	0.24321	-.81289
	2.81	0.19767	0.89634	0.39686
	1.97	0.82515	-.37070	0.42627
Co2	4.28	0.64450	0.28228	-.71059
	2.58	0.14487	0.86744	0.47598
	2.17	0.75075	-.40972	0.51817
As1	4.14	0.44396	-.05984	-.89405
	3.15	0.64094	0.71847	0.27018
	2.73	0.62618	-.60298	0.35732
As2	4.73	0.59634	0.31993	-.73622
	2.78	0.28781	0.77095	0.56815
	1.79	0.74936	-.55070	0.36767
As3	4.85	0.77847	0.26121	-.57075
	3.29	0.14451	0.81029	0.56794
	2.11	0.61082	-.52460	0.59304
As4	4.36	0.66688	0.17769	-.72367
	2.72	0.13232	0.92748	0.34967
	2.07	0.73333	-.32894	0.59500
Cl3	4.09	0.47339	-.71930	0.50844
	3.94	0.67406	-.07576	-.73478
	3.22	0.56705	0.69056	0.44898
C24	7.87	0.71458	0.55352	-.42777
	4.50	0.34069	-.80944	-.47828
	0.99	0.61098	-.19603	0.76699
Ca1	4.45	0.28099	-.24042	0.92911
	4.01	0.90529	0.38778	-.17344
	0.84	0.31859	-.88984	-.32661
Ca2	7.37	-.44875	0.87521	-.18064
	3.13	0.88203	-.40131	0.24686
	2.00	-.14357	0.27011	0.95207
CCO1	6.80	-.11053	-.40023	0.90972
	4.92	0.79921	0.50832	0.32073
	1.27	0.59080	-.76252	-.26368

TABLE IV-C-10 (CONT'D)

OC01	9.93	0.56226	0.16713	-.80990
	6.64	0.72923	-.56205	0.39028
	3.65	0.38998	0.81004	0.43790
CC02	5.43	-.02653	-.58529	0.81039
	4.32	0.99934	-.03579	0.00687
	0.59	0.02498	0.81003	0.58585
OC02	9.83	0.02033	0.24051	0.97043
	7.89	0.15470	-.95970	0.23461
	2.36	0.98775	0.14536	-.05672
CZ1	18.26	0.73232	-.68092	-.00756
	12.57	0.63533	0.67921	0.36745
	8.46	-.24507	-.27390	0.93001
CS1	22.91	0.08347	0.88036	0.46691
	16.06	-.06664	-.46256	0.88408
	4.05	0.99428	-.10491	0.02006
CS2	56.28	0.75589	0.18549	0.62788
	11.04	-.22352	-.82828	0.51379
	1.86	0.61536	-.52871	-.58463
CZ2	39.14	0.88734	-.26407	-.37801
	25.04	0.46033	0.55494	0.69292
	11.64	0.02679	-.78887	0.61398

a

Given in the order of major, median and minor axes.

b

Axes lengths are in units of B where the root mean square displacement $(\bar{U}^2)^{1/2} = (B/8\pi^2)^{1/2}$.

CHAPTER V. STUDIES OF SOME π -(ARENE)ENNEACARBONYLTETRA-
COBALT(0) CLUSTERS AND THE CRYSTAL AND MOLE-
CULAR STRUCTURES OF π -(XYLENE)ENNEACARBONYL-
TETRACOBALT(0) AND π -(BENZENE)ENNEACARBONYL-
TETRACOBALT(0).

SECTION A. INTRODUCTION

1. The polarization Complexes

One of the most interesting features of benzenoid-metal complexes is the degree to which the intrinsic D_{6h} symmetry of the arene does or does not change upon complexation. In 1950, Rundle and Goring²¹⁰ published a paper concerning a benzene silver(I) perchlorate complex in which, according to the more complete crystallographic investigation that followed,²¹¹ the benzene rings 'sandwich' asymmetrically-distributed silver ions. It was reported that the arene C-C bonds closest to the Ag^+ ions were shorter ($1.35(2)\text{\AA}$) than the others ($1.43(1)\text{\AA}$). To explain this observation, the authors claim that the positively-charged silver ion polarizes the π electrons in the arene. This increases the electron density on the carbon atoms adjacent to the ionic nucleus to the detriment of the

other carbon atoms.

A somewhat more accurate description of the bonding in aromatic-silver(I) perchlorate complexes was developed from a systematic X-ray crystallographic study undertaken by E.L. Amma. Some complexes with a 2 to 1 ratio of aromatic to AgClO_4 that were investigated include *o*-xylene,²¹² *m*-xylene,²¹³ *p*-xylene,²¹⁴ and cyclohexylbenzene.²¹⁵ Also examined were 1 to 1 complexes of dibenzyl,²¹⁶ indene,²¹⁷ acenaphthene²¹⁸ and acenaphthylene²¹⁸ as well as (naphthylene) $\cdot 4\text{AgClO}_4 \cdot 4\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ²¹⁹ and (anthracene) $\cdot 4\text{AgClO}_4 \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}$.²¹⁹

Most of these structures consist of sheets of AgClO_4 separated by arenes. The silver ion is bonded disymmetrically to all aromatic moieties, except in the case of the naphthalene complex, with a 'constant' closest Ag-C approach of $2.47 \pm 0.03\text{\AA}$. The second closest Ag-C distance is quite variable in these complexes ($2.51\text{--}2.98\text{\AA}$).

Since the sum of covalent radii gives a Ag-C bond length of 2.30\AA ,²²⁰ the bonding in the arene-silver(I) perchlorate complexes is not of a formal nature. There are two bonding modes operating in these compounds according to an analysis of the X-ray crystallographic data obtained by Amma. First, the arene acts

as an electron donor to the metal ion M. This type of bonding would require M to be positioned directly above one of the carbon atoms of the ring at a position of highest π electron density.

Back-donation from metal ion to the arene is also important in explaining the bonding. The best overlap between filled d orbitals and the antibonding π^* molecular orbitals of the aromatic moiety results when the metal is in the π cloud of the arene equidistant between two adjacent carbon atoms. It can be seen that a compromise between these two types of bonding will result in the observed geometries, i.e. the metal ion between two adjacent carbon atoms of the aromatic part of the structure but closer to one than the other.

Although these complexes have been known for some time,²²¹ X-ray crystallographic investigations, especially in the last five years, have given a better understanding of the types of bonding involved. The last review of these type of compounds appeared in 1966.²²²

Polarized bonding of π arene systems can be found in another structure: that of hexathiocyanatocobalt dimercury.²²³ In this structure, benzene molecules separate sheets of $\text{Hg}_2\text{Co}(\text{SCN})_6$. The authors record a variation in the three crystallographically-independent

C-C distances in the order of 0.1\AA . In contrast with the benzene-silver(I) perchlorate complex discussed earlier, the C-C bond closest to the mercury ion in hexathiocyanatocobalt dimercury is the longest.

Dines and Bird²²⁴ published a preliminary report on aromatic complexes of copper(I) trifluoromethanesulphonate. The X-ray structure determination of the benzene complex is reported to show two copper atoms π bonded to each benzene ring with an average Cu-C distance of 2.21\AA . The accuracy of the results is not good due to poor crystal quality. Even if the C-C distances vary by as much as 0.2\AA in the benzene ring (1.48, 1.48, 1.28, 1.39, 1.28 and 1.35\AA ; e.s.d. 0.04\AA), no arguments can be presented for or against complete retention of the fully-delocalized π system in benzene.²²⁵

Gilson²²⁶ has shown, in a solid state nmr study, that there appears to be free rotation of the benzene moiety at room temperature in the above compound. Gilson and McDowell^{227,228} have also studied the nmr spectra of the benzene-silver(I) perchlorate complex described earlier. Their conclusion of a "more-or-less" freely rotating benzene has been challenged by Smith²²⁹ who claims that because of the limitations of the nmr time scale, the difference between high disorder and free rotation in the solid state cannot be ascertained

using this technique.

The distances between the copper ion and the two closest benzene carbon atoms are 2.15 and 2.30 Å in the complex (benzene)Cu^IAlCl₄.^{230,231} These bond lengths are very close to the Cu-C single bond length of 2.12 Å²²⁰ and this suggests a rather substantial metal ion-aromatic interaction. The symmetry of the copper(I) environment is distorted tetrahedral and this suggests that an sp³ hybrid orbital on copper is acting as the acceptor for aromatic π electrons.

There is, in this excellent structure determination, good indication of an important distortion towards a hexatriene system implying that one of the Kékulé structures of benzene has been frozen out. Indeed the C-C bond lengths are, in sequence around the ring, 1.26(5), 1.41(5), 1.25(4), 1.37(4), 1.29(4), and 1.40(5) Å. A similar variation exists in the structure of (benzene)-AgAlCl₄²³² but the estimated standard deviations in this structure are very large due to bad disordering within the crystal.

It will be noticed that all structures mentioned above showed poor accuracy largely due to their nature as loosely-bound polarization or charge transfer complexes. Large thermal vibrations result from this

type of bonding which cause large errors in the determination of atomic positions. This, coupled with the fact that atomic parameters of light atoms in a structure containing heavy atoms generally are not very accurate permit questioning of any arguments about the bonding based on the geometries recorded. It seems unquestionable however that some trends are real. It will be instructive now to look at some more strongly-held valency compounds of the transition metal arenes.

2. The Bis-arene Complexes

What follows is not intended to be an exhaustive survey of the literature of transition metal π arene complexes. Many general reviews exist as well as three surveys of the structure of these compounds.^{222,233-245} The intention here is to provide background information concerning the formation of these complexes with a somewhat more intensive treatment of their structural properties and bonding.

a) Synthesis

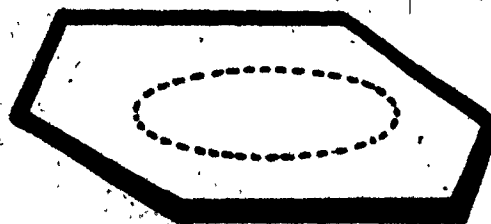
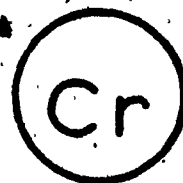
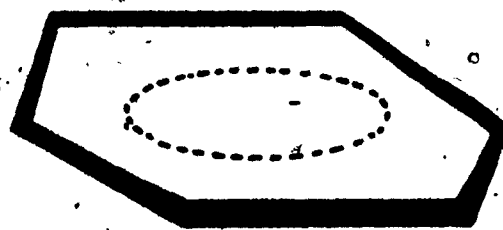
The first transition metal π arene synthesized was not recognized as such until thirty-five years later.

In 1919, Hein ²⁴⁶ isolated, from the Grignard reaction of phenylmagnesium bromide and chromium(III) trichloride in ether solution, a compound which he claimed to be pentaphenylchromium(I) bromide. Soon, a vast chemical literature developed surrounding various polyphenyl chromium compounds largely fed by the continued work of Hein.

The chemistry of these compounds displayed several severe inconsistencies with their proposed structures. The nature of these differences has been adequately reviewed by Zeiss.²³³ It will be sufficient here to state that various anomalous chemical as well as physical properties of the polyphenyl chromium compounds led Tsutsui and Zeiss to examine the products of their reductive degradation by lithium aluminum hydride.

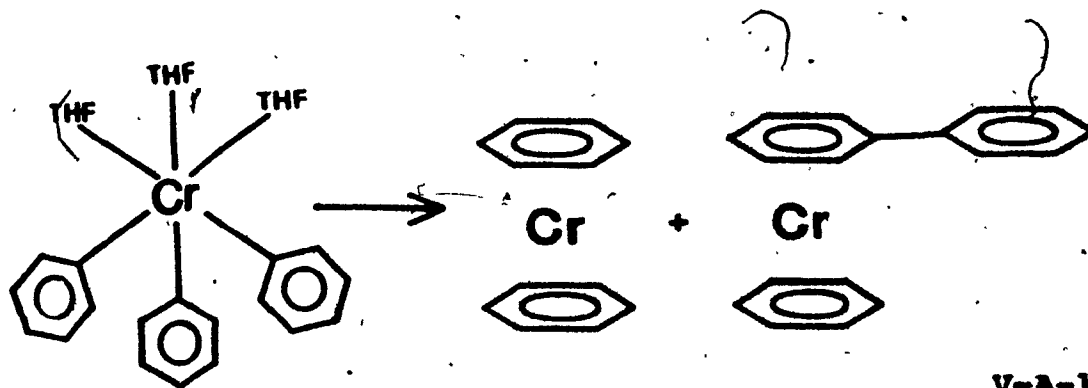
As a result of this work, a correction was made to the formulation of these complexes. Zeiss, Tsutsui and Onsager²⁴⁷⁻²⁴⁸ proposed a biconoidal sandwich π structure for this type of complex which now explained all the heretofore inexplicable magnetic, spectroscopic and chemical data (Figure V-A-1). The concept however was viewed with considerable apprehension by some, including the referees of an abortive attempt at the publication of a later-to-appear Zeiss-Tsutsui paper,²⁴⁹ who grieved at the loss of the benzenoid resonance energy in bonding to an inorganic nucleus. It would remain for others to show that

Figure V-A-1. The proposed biconoidal sandwich π structure
for the bis-arene chromium complexes. }



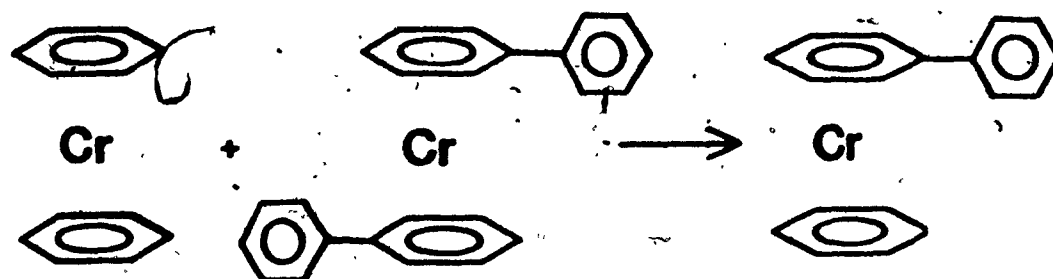
this loss was minimal.

Fischer and Hafner²⁵⁰⁻²⁵¹ devised a method of synthesizing bis-arene complexes involving the reduction of chromium(III) trichloride by aluminum powder at 150°C in the presence of an arene. Other synthetic routes have since been devised for the bis-arene complexes. The Fischer-Hafner synthesis has been adapted to use trialkylaluminum as the reducing agent instead of aluminum powder. Another synthetic procedure involves the σ to π rearrangement of triphenylchromium(III) tetrahydrofuranate.²⁵²⁻²⁵³ Such a rearrangement occurs when the tetrahydrofuran molecules are removed 1) by heating to 60°C at atmospheric pressure, 2) *in vacuo* or 3) by treating the crystalline tetrahydrofuranate with diethylether.²⁵⁴



Of limited use is the redistribution method of preparing new bis-arene complexes. Two π arene complexes are mixed and the materials recovered are redistribution products as illustrated in Equation V-A-2. Studies in

the cyclic trimerization of acetylenes have resulted in the isolation of intermediate bis-arene complexes. Such reactions will be discussed in another section of this introduction.



V-A-2

Some bis-arene complexes can be prepared by directly combining the arene and the metal in its pure state. Co-condensation of benzene and chromium atoms has given dibenzenechromium(0) in 60% yield.²⁵⁵ It is difficult by conventional methods to synthesize bis-arene complexes of halogen-substituted arenes because of the strongly electron withdrawing effects of the substituents. The π electron density of the aromatic moiety is critical in determining the degree of formation of these complexes.²⁵⁶ Very recently the co-condensation method was used to synthesize chlorobenzene, fluorobenzene and *p*-difluorobenzene bis-arene chromium compounds.²⁵⁷

In but a very few years the number of bis-arene

complexes of chromium and other elements proliferated mainly owing to their function as intermediates in the cyclic trimerization of acetylenes and to the interest many investigators had in their structure and bonding.

b) Structure of Dibenzenechromium(0)

Ruch²⁵⁸⁻²⁶¹ put forth the hypothesis that the bonding in bis-arene chromium complexes could be explained in terms of the following formulation. Three co-ordinate covalent bonds are formed between the three pairs of π electrons in each ring and the chromium metal. If this hypothesis is correct, it should lead to a threefold distortion of the benzenoid moiety as compared to the free arene. Fischer and Böttcher²⁶² reinforced this frozen-out Kékulé structure argument by explaining the greater stability of dimesityleneiron(II) compared to dibenzeneiron(II) in terms of its intrinsic threefold symmetry.

An attempt at establishing the structure of dibenzenechromium by X-ray crystallography was effected by Weiss and Fischer in 1956.²⁶³ This investigation was the first of many attempts to determine unambiguously whether a localized or, alternatively, a delocalized bonding scheme was operative in this complex. The molecule crystallizes in a cubic unit cell (Pa3, No. 205) and is

constrained to a chromium atom position coincident with a center of inversion.

Jellinek²⁶⁴ and Cotton *et al.*²⁶⁵ were of opposing view as to their interpretation of the crystallographic data. Ibers²⁶⁶ used Hamilton's R factor test²⁶⁷ to justify Cotton's D_{6h} model for the complex. Zeiss *et al.*²²² concurred from their further refinement of opposing sets of data. Insistently, Jellinek²⁶⁸ published another paper reporting the results of full anisotropic refinement of his data to lead to his original observation of a D_{3d} model for the compound.

A major point made by Jellinek in this paper is the limitation placed on the accuracy of any structure determination of dibenzenechromium(0) executed at room temperature. Thermal motion of the atoms in the rings decrease the probability of an accurate determination of positional parameters. We have seen how this factor plays a major role in the loosely-bound polarization complexes of arenes with silver, mercury and tin. The effect is less in this valency compound of chromium but it is sufficient to cause considerable doubt about the interatomic distances derived. A low temperature study of dibenzenechromium(0) was warranted and this was effected by Keulen and Jellinek in 1966.²⁶⁹

The data were collected at 100°K and for 486 independent reflections, the final R factor was 3.1%. The calculated bond lengths were corrected for the thermal motion corresponding to the libration of the rings and the crystallographically-independent bonds were 1.420(3) and 1.419(3) Å. The Cr-C distances were also equal within the standard deviations at 2.143(2) and 2.140(2) Å. No significant deviation from D_{6h} molecular symmetry could thus be found.

A myriad of physical methods other than X-ray crystallography have been used to determine the structure of bis-arene chromium complexes. In 1965, Haaland reported the results of an electron diffraction study of dibenzene-chromium(0).²⁷⁰ An analysis of the radial distribution curve was compatible with a D_{6h} symmetry model in which the C-C distance is 1.423 ± 0.002 Å and the Cr-C distance is 2.150 ± 0.002 Å.

Distortion of the ligands in dibenzene-chromium(0) was investigated by solid state vibrational analysis. Fischer and Fritz first presented evidence for threefold distortion of the benzene rings.²³⁸ Fritz et al. then contradicted this argument.²⁷¹ The solution infrared spectrum could be fully explained based on a D_{6h} model. It was claimed that crystal forces may be responsible for the distortions observed by solid state infrared studies.

and some of the X-ray crystallographic structure investigations.

Far infrared studies by Fritz and co-workers attempted to show^{272,273} that the crystal forces and site symmetries in the solid state are not sufficient to account for the frozen K  kul   type structure found for these bis-arene complexes. The potassium bromide pellet infrared spectrum of dibenzenechromium(0)²⁷⁴ is however different in the number and the positions of the absorption intensities from the infrared spectrum of pure dibenzenechromium(0).²⁷⁵ It is not very easy to explain these differences without appealing to the influence of crystal forces.

Nagi, Stafford and Sch  fer²⁷⁶ found, by a careful study of the vapour phase infrared spectrum of dibenzenechromium(0), that deviations from D_{6h} symmetry must be very small if at all existent. Using the values determined by Sch  fer, Southern and Cyvin,²⁷⁷ Sch  fer *et al.*²⁷⁸ have executed a partitioned normal co-ordinate analysis on dibenzenechromium(0) and deuterated dibenzenechromium(0).²⁷⁹ These studies point emphatically to D_{6h} symmetry for these complexes in the vapour phase.

There appears to be free rotation at room temperature of the rings in dibenzenechromium(0) from a cursory study of the nmr line shape variations with temp-

erature.²⁸⁰ Further investigation of the freedom of rotation in these complexes was carried out by Andrews *et al.*²⁸¹ This study showed that free rotation of the arene ligands in the complex best fits the observed entropy.

Qualitative theoretical approximations made by Ruch²⁵⁹ and Fritz *et al.*²⁸² to a D_{3d} model for the bis-arene metal complexes must surely now be examined with but historical interest. It seems very likely that crystal forces, bad data and underestimated standard deviations have been responsible for masking the true nature of the bonding in these compounds. It appears, from the very meticulous low-temperature X-ray structure determination²⁶⁹ and the careful study of spectroscopic evidence obtained in the vapour phase,²⁷⁹ that dibenzenechromium(0) can be experimentally described as a sandwiched eclipsed biconoidal structure in which all benzene C-C distances are equal at 1.420(3)Å and all Cr-C distances are equal at 2.141(2)Å.

c) Bonding in Dibenzenechromium(0)

The discovery of the bis-arene metal complexes presented a considerable challenge to the theoretical chemist in order to explain their existence. Indeed, π bonded arene systems had heretofore never been seen, so it was only natural that the development of bonding

theories should parallel the rapidly-increasing experimental evidence on these compounds.

The first discovery of the nature of these complexes as biconoidal π sandwiched chromium atoms²⁴⁷ led scientists to assume a fixed Kékulé structure for each benzene ring with three co-ordinate covalent bonds to the central metal atom (Figure V-A-2). This implied an octahedral co-ordination about the metal (d^2sp^3 hybridization) and overall D_{3d} symmetry.

The magnetic properties of the bis-arene complexes were accounted for in this valence bond approach. Dibenzenechromium(0) was indeed observed to be diamagnetic and a similar treatment for the neutral dibenzenevanadium(0) would result in the paramagnetism observed experimentally.

A molecular orbital calculation on the dibenzenechromium(0) complex was performed by E.M. Shustorovich and M.E. Dyatkina in 1960.²⁸³⁻²⁸⁵ The ring molecular orbitals used were linear combinations of the carbon atomic $2p_z$ orbitals (Figure V-A-3). D_{6h} symmetry was assumed and distances of 1.40\AA for C-C and 2.19\AA for Cr-C were used in the calculation of the energies of the twenty-one molecular orbitals of dibenzenechromium(0). An energy level diagram is shown in Figure V-A-4.

Figure V-A-2. A valence bond treatment of the dibenzene-
chromium(0) complex.

Cr⁰

3d					4s	4p		
↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑			

d^2sp^3

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Figure V-A-3. Molecular orbitals of benzene used in
forming the dibenzenechromium(0) complex.

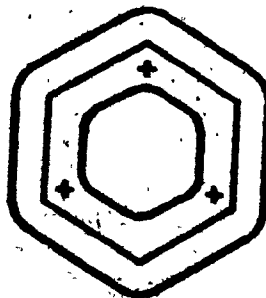
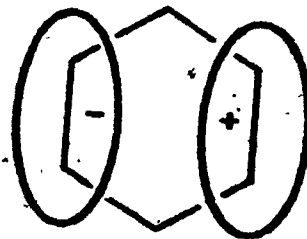
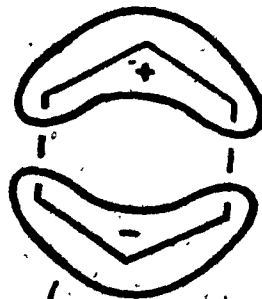
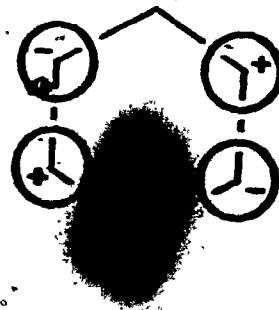
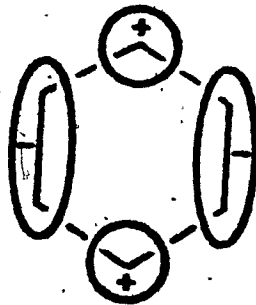
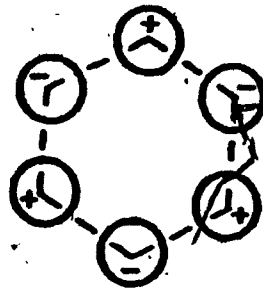
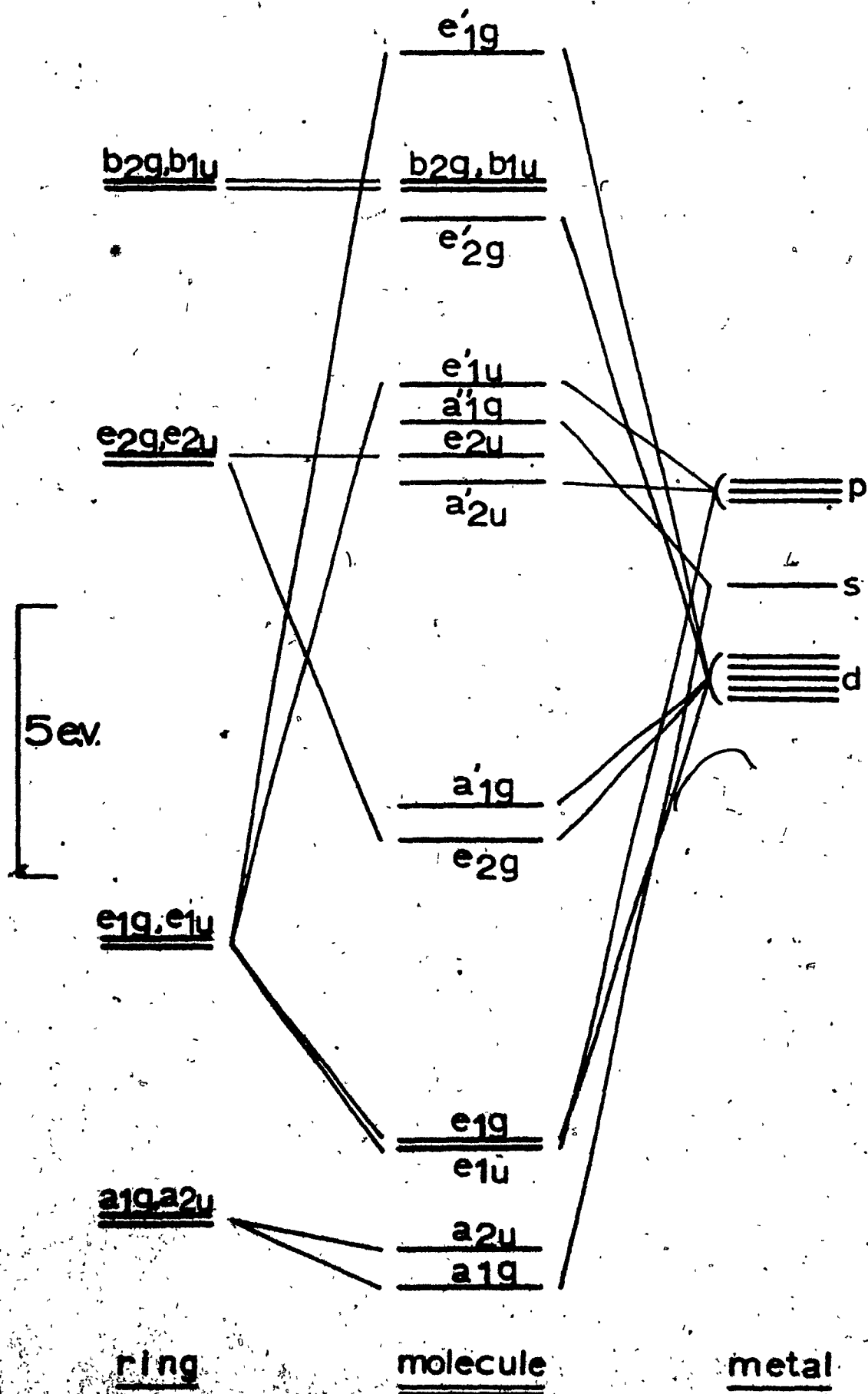


Figure V-A-4. The energy level diagram from the molecular orbital treatment of dibenzenechromium(0) by Shustorovich and Dyatkina (from Reference 285, page 176).

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According to the scheme devised by Shustorovich and Dyatkina, in neutral molecules the metal atom carries a net positive charge. This implies that electronic charge is transferred from the metal toward the rings in a dative back-bonding type of effect. This effect counteracts the loss of the π electron density of the benzenoid moiety due to its Lewis base six electron donor ability. The resonance energy of the benzene nucleus is maintained, a problem which had preoccupied earlier workers.

The retention of the resonance energy of benzene in dibenzenechromium(0) has been shown by a comparison of the ultraviolet spectra of the free ligand and the complex.²⁸⁶ A detailed molecular orbital calculation for the molecule favours complete delocalization of the ring π electrons.²⁸⁷

d) Other Bis-arene Complexes

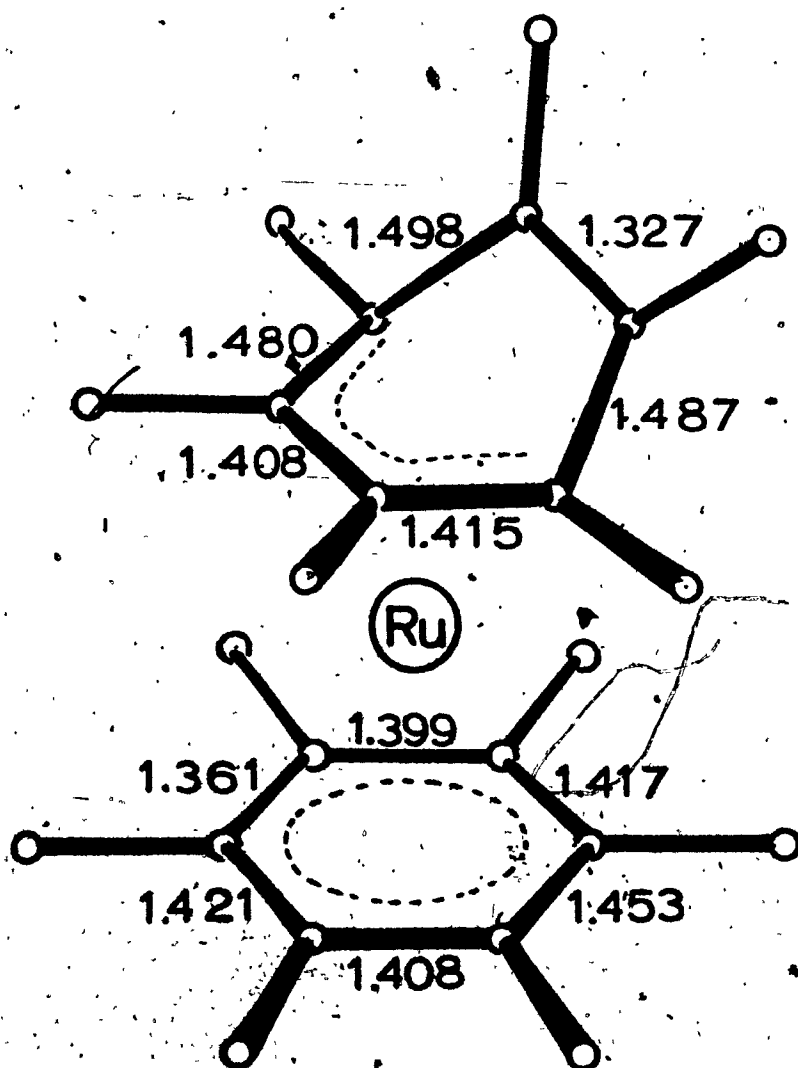
Dibenzenemolybdenum(0) and dibenzenetungsten(0) have been synthesized^{288,289} as well as the sandwiched benzene complex of vanadium. The far-infrared spectrum of this complex has been compared to that of its chromium analog.²⁷²

Zeiss and Tsutsui have patented the synthesis of several bis-arene complexes including dihexamethylbenzenecobalt(0)²⁹⁰ and the tetraphenylborate salt of dihexamethylbenzenemanganese(I).²⁹¹ The hexafluoroplatinate salts of dihexamethylbenzenerhodium(I) and dihexamethylbenzenerhodium(II) have also been synthesized²⁹² and studied by spectroscopic means. In 1970, Fischer and Elschenbroich²⁹³ showed that the arene structure in the diamagnetic complex dihexamethylbenzeneruthenium(0) is not planar. This conclusion was reached by studying the methyl resonances by proton nmr.

The following year a single crystal X-ray structure analysis confirmed this result.²⁹⁴ Although one of the two hexamethylbenzene rings is planar, the other ring is bent as shown in Figure V-A-5.

The authors propose that the distortion of the ring in this complex is due to the fact that, if bonds were formed equally with both rings, twelve electrons would complement the eight electrons in the ruthenium(0) valence shell. This would give two electrons too many to comply with a noble gas configuration. Bond lengths in this complex indicate four rather than six carbons are bonded to the central metal atom in the distorted ring. Evidence has also been gathered to show that dihexamethylbenzenecobalt(0) is bonded in a similar fashion.²⁹⁵

Figure V-A-5. Bonding in dihexamethylbenzeneruthenium(0).
The bond lengths are shown in Å with no
distance with an e.s.d. greater than 0.012Å.



The ditoluenechromium cation has been subject to two crystallographic structure determinations and the aromatic rings have been shown to be planar. The structure of the iodide complex²⁹⁶⁻²⁹⁸ shows that the cation has 2/m symmetry with an average C-C ring bond length of $1.42 \pm 0.03 \text{ \AA}$.

Structures of 1) the 1 to 2 complex of ditoluenechromium(I) and 7,7,8,8-tetracyanoquinodimethane²⁹⁹ and 2) the 1 to 1 complex of ditoluenechromium(I) and the same anion³⁰⁰ have been reported recently. The cationic species in the latter complex is in the eclipsed conformation with the methyl of ring two lying under the meta position of ring one. This should be contrasted with the para orientation of the ditoluene iodide species discussed above. The 1 to 2 complex exhibits a prismatic trans configuration for the toluene rings of the cation.

Using Fischer's method, Allegra *et al.*³⁰¹ synthesized an unusual transition metal bis-arene complex. AlCl_3 , PdCl_2 and aluminum powder suspended in 50 ml of anhydrous benzene were heated. The resulting brown suspension was filtered hot under nitrogen and crystals were obtained from slow cooling of the filtrate. The complex obtained was reported to have the formula $(\text{PdAl}_2\text{Cl}_7\text{C}_6\text{H}_6)_2$. When a lesser amount of aluminum trichloride was used, a complex of the formula $(\text{PdAlCl}_4\text{C}_6\text{H}_6)_2$

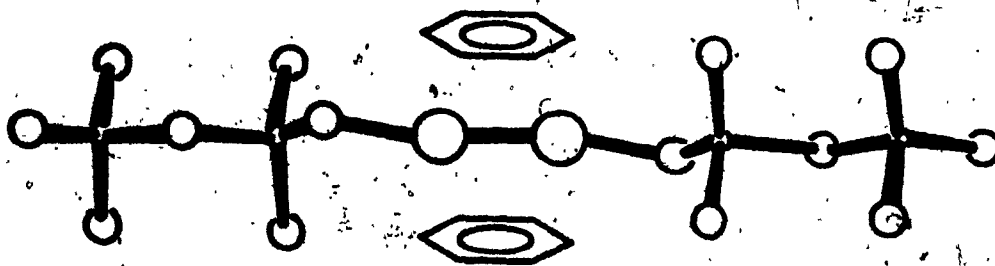
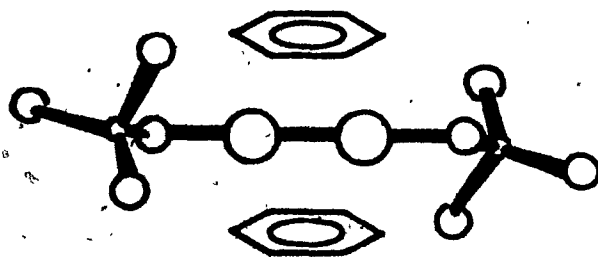
was obtained. Both these complexes have been the subject of X-ray crystallographic analysis.³⁰²

In these complexes, two benzene moieties sandwich a Pd-Pd bond. Figure V-A-6a illustrates the bonding in $(\text{PdAl}_2\text{Cl}_7\text{C}_6\text{H}_6)_2$. Figure V-A-6b does the same for $(\text{PdAlCl}_4\text{C}_6\text{H}_6)_2$. Not all the carbon atoms of the benzene are equally involved in bonding to the palladium atoms in these complexes. Although the bond distances in the arene cannot be used as a measure of the degree of localized bonding due to their large average standard deviations, the deviations from planarity of the rings are an indication of the decreased aromaticity. Bonding in these complexes is, to say the least, unusual and more work will surely be needed to clarify it.

Another compound to be synthesized by Fischer's method was made from UCl_4 rather than PdCl_2 .³⁰³ Analysis showed the compound to be $\text{UAlCl}_{12}\text{C}_6\text{H}_6$. A single crystal X-ray crystallographic investigation showed a structure which can be described as three AlCl_4 units each bonded to uranium through two chlorine bridges. The benzene moiety is π bonded in the same way as in the bis-arene complexes discussed above. The arene seems to be bonded in a symmetric fashion judging from the equivalence of the six metal-to-carbon distances reported.

Figure V-A-6a. The complex $(\text{PdAl}_2\text{Cl}_7\text{C}_6\text{H}_6)_2$.

Figure V-A-6b. The complex $(\text{PdAlCl}_4\text{C}_6\text{H}_6)_2$.



Various ruthenium, rhodium and iridium π arene complexes have been synthesized recently. L.M. Haines has been responsible for reporting the preparation of many complexes of rhodium and iridium with tetraphenylboron in which one of the phenyl groups is π bonded to the metal. Neutral complexes of the general type $Rh\{P(OR)_3\}_2B(C_6H_5)_4$ have been obtained by the decomposition of the ionic $Rh\{P(OR)_3\}_4B(C_6H_5)_4$ and $Rh\{P(OR)_3\}_5B(C_6H_5)_4$ species.³⁰⁴ These have been studied by nmr spectroscopy³⁰⁵ and the results indicate that the molecule has the same structure in solution as in the solid state.

The X-ray single crystal structure determination of the complex $Rh\{P(OCH_3)_3\}_2B(C_6H_5)_4$ was reported by Nolte, Gafner and Haines³⁰⁶ in 1969. The π bonded phenyl ring in the tetraphenylboron unit is in the boat conformation.

A *pentahaptocyclopentadienyl-hexahaptophenyl*-triphenylborate complex of ruthenium has also been synthesized and studied by infrared spectroscopy.³⁰⁷ Sanders³⁰⁸ has very recently reported the preparation of a tris(triphenylphosphine)ruthenium hydride in which one of the triphenylphosphine ligands is not bonded through the phosphine but is bonded through the *hexahapto*- interaction of one of the phenyl moieties.

A cycloocta-1,4-dienylhexakis(trifluoro-

methyl)benzenenickel complex has been synthesized³⁰⁹ recently.

The bonding has not been examined by X-ray analysis but it may well be the same as that in the (pentahaptocyclopentadienyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahaptohexakis(trifluoromethyl)-benzenerhodium(0) complex reported by Churchill and Mason.^{310,311}

The bonding, determined by single crystal structure analysis, seems to involve but four of the six arene carbon atoms. The arene is folded along a line joining the 1 and 4 carbon atoms and the angle formed between the two halves of the ring is 132.1° . The C_5-C_6 bond of the portion of the ring not involved in the π bond to rhodium is $1.306(19)\text{\AA}$ commensurate with full double bond character. This type of bonding has been seen above for the dihexamethylbenzeneruthenium(0) structure.

A summary of the X-ray crystallographically-determined bond lengths for those complexes discussed in the foregoing which were so investigated are found in Table V-A-1.

3. The Transition Metal Carbonyl Arene Complexes

a) Arene Chromium Tricarbonyls

Arene chromium tricarbonyls can be synthesized

TABLE V-A-1

INTERATOMIC DISTANCES IN SOME BIS- π -ARENECOMPLEXES^b

COMPOUND	METAL-ARENE DISTANCE (Å)	ARENE CARBON- CARBON DISTANCES (Å)	REMARKS AND REFERENCE
Dibenzene- chromium(0)	M-C _a : 2.135(10)	C _a -C _b : 1.45	Jellinek
	M-C _b : 2.132(10)	C _b -C _a : 1.36	First iso.
	M-R ^a : 1.613(07)		Room Temp. 264
	M-C _a : 2.143(08)	C _a -C _b : 1.436(12)	Jellinek
	M-C _b : 2.132(08)	C _b -C _a : 1.366(12)	1st aniso.
	M-R ^a : 1.614(06)		Room Temp. 268
	M-C _a : 2.147(02)	C _a -C _b : 1.420(03)	Jellinek
	M-C _b : 2.144(02)	C _b -C _a : 1.419(03)	Low Temp.
	M-R ^a : 1.609(01)		269
		C _x -C _y : 1.387(17)	C.D.W. 265
	M-C ^c : 2.150(02)	C _x -C _y : 1.423(02)	Electron Diff. 270
(PdAl ₂ Cl ₇ C ₆ H ₆) ₂	M ₁ -C ₁ : 3.16(03)	C ₁ -C ₂ : 1.42(05)	Only one
	M ₁ -C ₂ : 3.46(03)	C ₂ -C ₃ : 1.38(05)	set of
	M ₁ -C ₃ : 3.20(03)	C ₃ -C ₄ : 1.44(05)	the two
	M ₁ -C ₄ : 2.62(03)	C ₄ -C ₅ : 1.41(05)	disordered
	M ₁ -C ₅ : 2.20(03)	C ₅ -C ₆ : 1.37(05)	ring posi-
	M ₁ -C ₆ : 2.49(03)	C ₆ -C ₁ : 1.39(05)	tions is
	M ₂ -C ₁ : 2.81(03)		given here

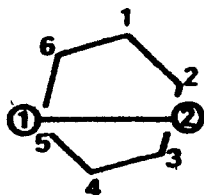
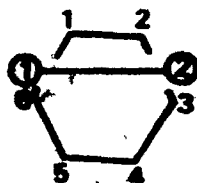


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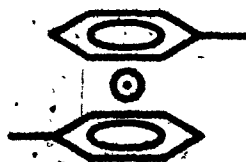
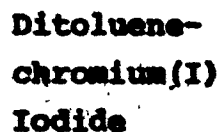
M_2-C_2 :	2.22 (03)
M_2-C_3 :	2.31 (03)
M_2-C_4 :	3.00 (03)
M_2-C_5 :	3.43 (03)
M_2-C_6 :	3.30 (03)



M_1-C_1 :	2.37 (02)	C_1-C_2 :	1.38 (04)	302
M_1-C_2 :	3.03 (02)	C_2-C_3 :	1.40 (04)	
M_1-C_3 :	3.49 (02)	C_3-C_4 :	1.38 (04)	
M_1-C_4 :	3.38 (02)	C_4-C_5 :	1.37 (04)	
M_1-C_5 :	2.77 (02)	C_5-C_6 :	1.41 (04)	
M_1-C_6 :	2.26 (02)	C_6-C_1 :	1.45 (04)	
M_2-C_1 :	3.03 (02)			
M_2-C_2 :	2.37 (02)			
M_2-C_3 :	2.27 (02)			
M_2-C_4 :	2.77 (02)			
M_2-C_5 :	3.31 (02)			
M_2-C_6 :	3.51 (02)			



$M-C_1$:	2.91	C_x-C_y :	Not quoted	303
$M-C_2$:	2.91			
$M-C_3$:	2.92			
$M-C_4$:	2.92			
$M-C_5$:	2.92			
$M-C_6$:	2.91			



$M-C_1$:	2.088 (04)	C_x-C_y :	Average	297
$M-C_2$:	2.089 (04)		1.42 ± 0.03	
$M-C_3$:	2.089 (04)			
$M-C_4$:	2.079 (04)			
$M-C_5$:	2.089 (04)			
$M-C_6$:	2.082 (04)			

TABLE V-A-1 (CONT'D)

Ditoluene-
chromium(I)
T.C.N.Q.⁻
1:1 Adduct

M -C_x: Average
2.11 ± 0.03

C_x-C_y: Average
1.38 ± 0.04

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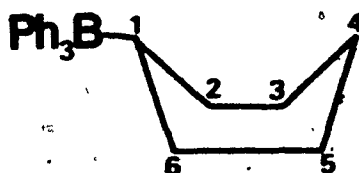
Ditoluene-
chromium(I)
T.C.N.Q.⁰/T.C.N.Q.⁻
2:1 Adduct

M -C_x: Average
2.18 ± 0.03

C_x-C_y: Average
1.40 ± 0.04

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Rh{P(OCH₃)₃}₂⁺
B(C₆H₅)₄



M -C₁: 2.41(02)

M -C₂: 2.30(02)

M -C₃: 2.30(02)

M -C₄: 2.40(02)

M -C₅: 2.31(02)

M -C₆: 2.33(02)

C₁-C₂: 1.41(03)

C₂-C₃: 1.42(03)

C₃-C₄: 1.42(03)

C₄-C₅: 1.44(03)

C₅-C₆: 1.39(03)

C₆-C₁: 1.44(03)

Bent Ring
306

Perfluoro-
hexamethyl-
benzene-
cyclopenta-
diene-
rhodium(0)

M -C₁: 2.150(18)

M -C₂: 2.064(18)

M -C₃: 2.109(14)

M -C₄: 2.119(15)

M -C₅: 3.010(18)

M -C₆: 3.052(18)

C₁-C₂: 1.477(20)

C₂-C₃: 1.424(19)

C₃-C₄: 1.528(21)

C₄-C₅: 1.481(25)

C₅-C₆: 1.306(19)

C₆-C₁: 1.501(23)

Ring bent
along line
joining
C₁ to C₄
311

Bis(hexa-
methylbenzene)-
ruthenium(0)

M -R₁^a: 1.75

M -R₂^a: 1.73

C₁-C₂: 1.408(12)

C₂-C₃: 1.421(12)

C₃-C₄: 1.361(12)

C₄-C₅: 1.399(12)

C₅-C₆: 1.417(12)

C₆-C₁: 1.453(12)

C₁-C₂: 1.415(12)

C₂-C₃: 1.408(12)

C₃-C₄: 1.480(12)

Ring 1 is
planar.
Ring 2 is
bent along
line join-
ing C₁ to
C₄.
See Figure
V-A-5.

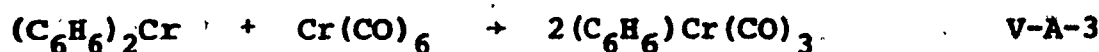
TABLE V-A-1 (CONT'D)

C_4-C_5 :	1.498(12)	
C_5-C_6 :	1.327(12)	294
C_6-C_1 :	1.487(12)	

^a Represents the distance from the least squares plane of the ring to the metal atom.

^b The number in parentheses indicates the estimated standard deviation in the last two digits quoted in the length.

by ligand exchange reactions. Indeed, the first report in the literature of the synthesis of benzenetricarbonylchromium(0)³¹² involved the reaction of dibenzenechromium(0) with hexacarbonylchromium(0) as illustrated in Equation V-A-3. The arene substitutes for three adjacent carbonyl ligands in the octahedral hexacarbonylchromium(0).



A microwave study of benzenetricarbonylchromium(0)³¹³ indicated the molecule to be a symmetrical top. Local C_{3v} symmetry for the benzenoid moiety would give rise to the model proposed for the bis-arene complexes (*vide supra*). This model was advocated in an infrared study by Fritz and Manchot.³¹⁴ The study involved experimental spectra of $(\text{C}_6\text{H}_6)\text{Cr}(\text{CO})_3$ and $(\text{C}_6\text{D}_6)\text{Cr}(\text{CO})_3$ and their comparison to the theoretically-calculated benzenoid local C_{6v} symmetry. There was a lack of fit and a model involving a fixed Kékulé structure for the benzene moiety was proposed.

Infrared studies have also appeared which compare the frequencies of the uncomplexed aromatic hydrocarbons with their corresponding tricarbonylchromium analogs.³¹⁵ It is found that the carbon-hydrogen stretching peaks merge into one band, the skeletal carbon-carbon stretching modes shift to lower energy and the carbon-hydrogen out-of-plane vibrations, characteristic of

substitution patterns, vanish.

Nuclear magnetic resonance studies of benzene-tricarbonylchromium(0)³¹⁶ show a single line spectrum which does not distinguish between C_{3v} or C_{6v} benzenoid site symmetry in the complex. A *para* disubstituted benzenoid complex would result in different electronic environments about the remaining hydrogen atoms if a 'frozen-out' Kékulé structure were prevalent. Splitting was sufficiently small in 1,4-dimethoxybenzenetricarbonylchromium(0) to exclude a localized bonding scheme and it was concluded that the π electrons were completely delocalized. A recent³¹⁷ study of the ^{13}C nmr spectrum of benzene, toluene and *o*-, *m*- and *p*-xylene chromium tricarbonyls was reported.

By observing the behavior of the infrared carbonyl carbon-oxygen stretching frequencies in various substituted benzenetricarbonylchromium(0) complexes, information about the bonding of the arene has been inferred. Several papers in this field have been published by D.A. Brown and co-workers.³¹⁸⁻³²¹ The work is premised on the fact that the substituent on the ring electronically affects the extent of triple bond character of the carbon-oxygen carbonyl bond. The carbonyl stretching frequency decreases with an increase in the dative (full metal d-orbital to empty benzenoid molecular orbital) back-bonding.

Because electronic charge is being put back into the aromatic system by the synergistic bonding scheme (outlined in the section of this introduction on the bis-arene complexes), the metal is acting as an electron sink with respect to the metal-carbon (carbonyl) bond. This has the effect of removing electronic charge from the carbon-oxygen bond, thus decreasing its strength and, consequently, its infrared stretching frequency.

Although one might be tempted to place a rather quantitative interpretation on this effect, Brown offers a word of caution.³²¹ Even though there is ample evidence for transmission of electronic effects through the metal atom, it must be appreciated that frequency effects are rarely due to only one bond. Complex molecular vibrations make it necessary to do a complete normal co-ordinate analysis to isolate the effects of each bond.

Such an analysis was accomplished quite recently on benzenetricarbonylchromium(0) by Schäfer *et al.*^{322,323} The results, when compared with the experimentally-determined spectra, seem to preclude the possibility of a C_{3v} distortion of the benzene moiety and argue in favour of a fully-delocalized bonding scheme.

The π electron charge used in bonding to the chromium atom decreases the resonance energy of the aromatic

moiety thus making it more susceptible to nucleophilic attack than it is in the free state.³²⁴ There is also a considerable involvement of the ring σ orbitals in the ring-to-metal bonding as shown by semiempirical molecular orbital calculations on arene chromium tricarbonyls as reported by Carroll and McGlynn.³²⁵ The importance of the σ orbitals has also been pointed out by Gubin and Khandkarova.³²⁶

Excellent reviews exist on the bonding, reactions and properties of these 'half-sandwich' complexes.^{222,235} It will be instructive to review here the various structure determinations of these arene chromium tricarbonyls and some related complexes. Such a review does not exist at the present time.

In 1959, Corradini and Allegra published the results of a two-dimensional X-ray crystallographic structure investigation on benzenetricarbonylchromium(0).³²⁷⁻³²⁹ The mean carbon-carbon bond length of the arene was found to be 1.401 Å although the large standard deviations precluded any discussion of possible bonding abnormalities. It was up to Bailey and Dahl³³⁰ to complete a three-dimensional single crystal X-ray analysis on this complex. Complete anisotropic refinement to a weighted residual index of 4.1% resulted in an accurate structure with highly acceptable standard deviations.

There is no indication of threefold distortion. The molecule lies on the mirror plane of space group $P2_1/m$. The plane goes through the chromium atom and one carbonyl. It relates the two other carbonyls and three of the ring carbons to the other three. There are thus but four crystallographically-independent carbon-carbon bond lengths: 1.371(11), 1.402(08), 1.404(08), and 1.421(11) Å.

The average chromium-to-arene carbon distance is 2.22 Å, somewhat longer than the corresponding distance in dibenzenechromium(0) (2.14 Å).²⁶⁹ In point of fact, the perpendicular distance from the chromium atom to the least squares plane of the aromatic ring is 0.12 Å longer in the benzenetricarbonylchromium(0) complex than in dibenzenechromium(0). This is not unreasonable in view of the fact that the carbonyl groups are strong π bonding ligands. This would tend to decrease the extent of chromium-to-benzene back-bonding and thus lengthen the bonding distance in comparison to dibenzenechromium(0).

Figure V-A-7a illustrates the structure of benzenetricarbonylchromium(0) as found by Allegra and Dahl. The plane of the three carbonyl carbons is parallel to that of the benzene moiety. Extension of the oxygen-carbon carbonyl vectors results in their intersection with the midpoint of alternate carbon-carbon bonds in the benzene moiety.

Figure V-A-7a. The structure of benzenetricarbonylchromium(0).

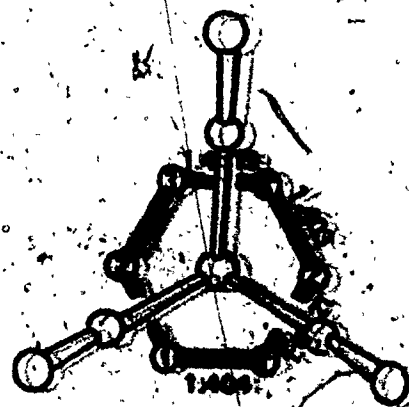
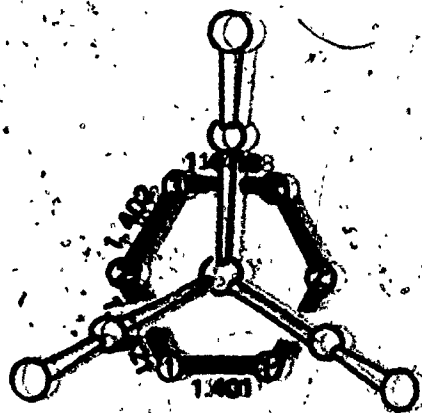
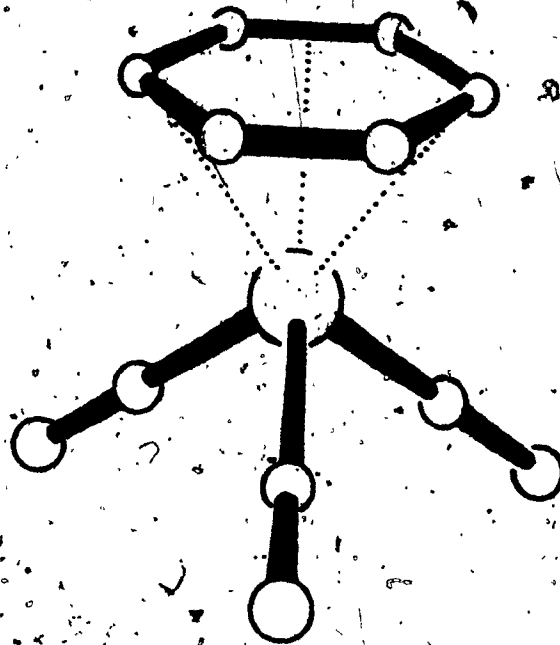
Figure V-A-7b.

Bond lengths in benzenetricarbonylchromium(0) as determined by X-ray diffraction.

Figure V-A-7c.

Bond lengths in benzenetricarbonylchromium(0) as determined by neutron diffraction.

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In order to investigate the somewhat tempting hypothesis that the benzenoid ring has full sixfold symmetry, Dahl undertook a rigid body least squares refinement of the data. Here, the benzene ring was constrained to have D_{6h} symmetry with a uniform C-C bond length of 1.392 Å and a carbon-hydrogen bond length of 1.08 Å. The weighted discrepancy factor for this isotropic refinement was compared to that for the C_s data using Hamilton's R factor test.²⁶⁷ The two models were not found to be statistically equivalent [$R_{wf}(D_{6h})/R_{wf}(C_s) = 1.021$] although, within three standard deviations, the irregular deviations of bond lengths in the ring can be ignored in favour of the more symmetrical structure.

Recently the preliminary report of an independent X-ray study on benzenetricarbonylchromium(0) including a neutron diffraction study has been published.³³¹ Although the X-ray structure work of Bailey and Dahl appeared rather definitive, a low temperature (78°K) data collection by both X-ray and neutron diffraction methods gave mutually compatible results not in agreement with the room temperature study.

Rees and Coppens³¹¹ do, in fact, report an alteration in the C-C bond lengths of the benzene ring. The average 'short' bond is 1.401(1) Å by neutron diffraction whereas the corresponding average 'long' bond is 1.419(1) Å and 1.420(2) Å respectively. The difference is about

0.017(2)Å, well beyond three standard deviations and thus statistically significant. The fact that the two independent studies agree lends further credence to a localized bonding scheme. We shall now examine the ramifications of the findings of these authors.

Figure V-A-7b gives a representation of the geometry of benzenetricarbonylchromium(0) as found by X-ray diffraction by Rees and Coppens. The view is down the *pseudo*threefold axis which contains the chromium atom. The crystallographic mirror plane is parallel to the projection direction. Figure V-A-7c shows the molecular geometry as determined by neutron diffraction. Hydrogen atoms have been excluded from these diagrams to increase clarity. A cursory observation will show that the results are compatible within experimental error.

In order for the chromium atom to have an octahedral co-ordination, the localized bonds to the benzene must be extensions of the carbonyl-chromium vectors. This means that, in a Kékulé type bonding scheme, the olefinic C1-C1', C2-C3 and C2'-C3' bonds are involved in co-ordination to the metal. This is contrary to what would be expected based on the bond lengths reported. Indeed, the bonds involved in octahedral co-ordination are the shortest whereas one would expect, based on the evidence from many studies on three-centered olefinic and acetylenic

bonded complexes, a lengthening of the C-C distance. The authors submit that the longest bonds may well be involved thus making the co-ordination about the chromium trigonal prismatic.

Bailey and Dahl³³² have also published the X-ray crystallographic structure determination of hexamethylbenzenetricarbonylchromium(0). With 1447 independent planes, the Pbc_a structure converged at an anisotropic discrepancy factor of 10.5%. The mean C-C arene distance was 1.417 Å although a twofold distortion seemed to be present. This cannot be due to twofold molecular disorder as it is for the dibenzenechromium(0) complex described before. To test this possibility (of twofold distortion), the ring was refined as a rigid body (D_{6h}) isotropically and the converged weighted reliability index was compared with its converged isotropic analog without D_{6h} imposed symmetry. Hamilton's *R* factor test showed that the D_{6h} model was not preferred.

Commenting on the twofold distortion, Dahl claims that the free ligand, hexamethylbenzene, is twofold distorted. This distortion is due to steric effects of the methyl groups which are in close proximity according to the authors. A two-dimensional X-ray structure analysis, albeit conducted over forty years ago, by Lonsdale³³³ indicated no such distortion. The distance from the chromium atom to the least squares plane of the hexamethyl-

benzene ring in hexamethylbenzenetricarbonylchromium(0) is 1.73Å, in harmony with the value of 1.72Å found for benzenetricarbonylchromium(0).³³⁰

The complex biphenyl-bis(tricarbonylchromium(0)) has been synthesized and a two-dimensional X-ray crystallographic structure determination has been reported.^{334,335} One chromium tricarbonyl moiety is bonded in the same way as benzenetricarbonylchromium(0) to one ring in biphenyl whereas the other tripod is bonded similarly to the second ring but on the opposite side. The complex thus possesses an inversion center midpoint along the bond joining the two phenyl rings.

The two-dimensional X-ray diffraction structure determination of phenanthrenetricarbonylchromium(0) was undertaken to discover whether the chromium tricarbonyl tripod bonds to the central ring or to an outer ring. The outer ring is preferred³³⁶ in this monoclinic form studied although the structure determination was far from accurate. With 504 reflections in space group $P2_1/a$, refinement gave a reliability index of 13%. The extended carbonyl chromium vectors cut the three alternate carbon-carbon bonds which include that of ring fusion.

Phenanthrenetricarbonylchromium(0) also crystallizes in space group $Pbca$. Muir, Ferguson and

Sim^{337,338} found, in a three-dimensional single crystal X-ray crystallographic study, that the ring electrons are not appreciably localized in these complexes. From anisotropic refinement of 4169 independent planes to an R factor of 12%, the authors quote a mean C-C distance of 1.412 Å in the bonded ring and contrast this with a mean bond length of 1.396 Å in the other rings which do not bond to the Cr(CO)₃ fragment. Some anomalies exist in the metal-to-carbon distances which bear some consideration.

The chromium-carbon distances to the four carbons which are hydrogen substituted are 2.212(5), 2.210(5), 2.206(5) and 2.208(4) Å with a mean of 2.209 Å. However, the chromium-carbon distance for the other two carbons of the ring (those fused to the rest of the aromatic moiety) are 2.289(4) and 2.289(4) Å. This suggests that the latter two bonds are less than unity and implies that those carbons are less capable of forming bonds to chromium than the other four. The 2.209 Å bonds are considered to have unitary bond order based on the sum of the chromium(0) atomic radius of 1.48 Å³³⁹ and that of an sp² carbon atom (0.74 Å). Perhaps, in this complex, there are then less than six electrons involved in metal-to-arene π bonding.

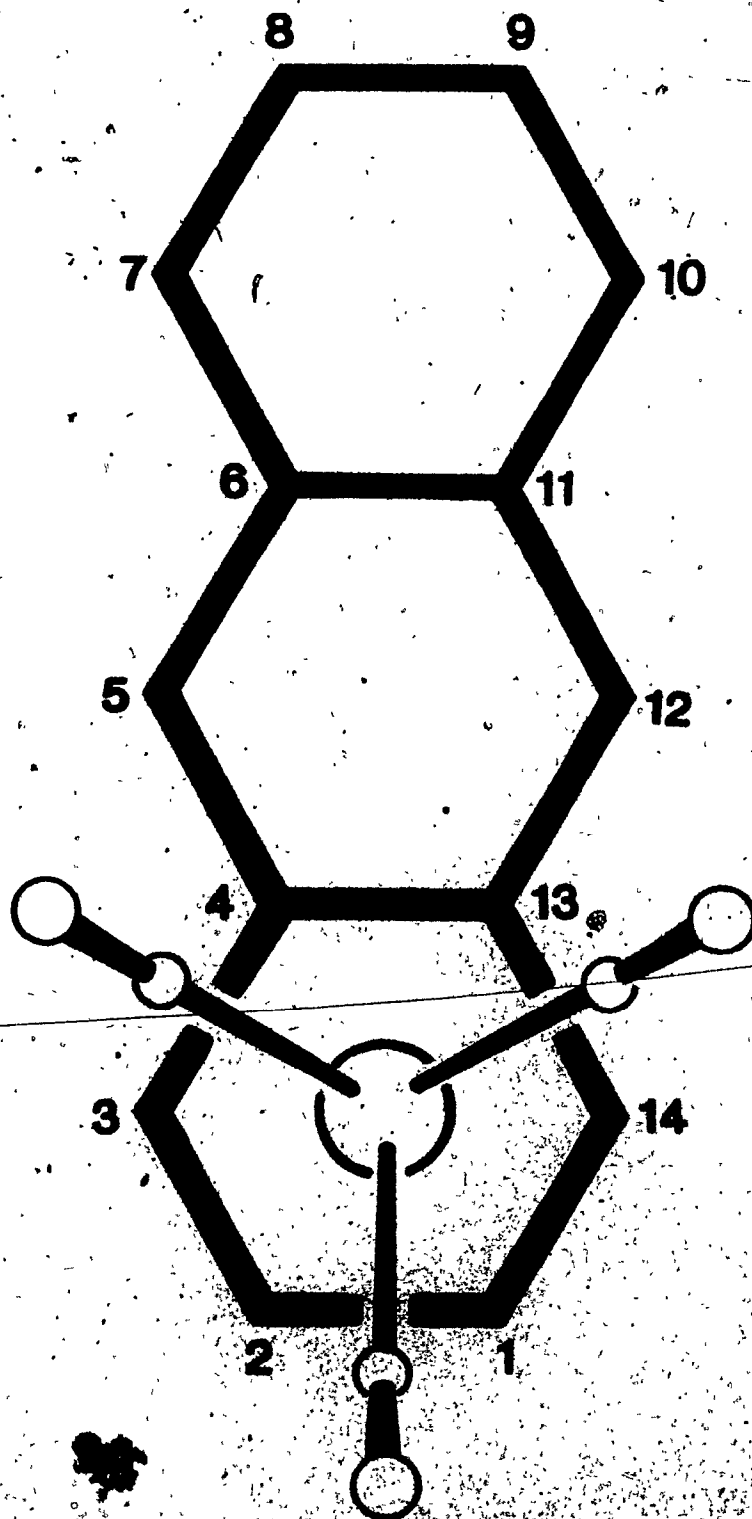
A very similar bonding pattern is observed for the complex anthracenetetracarbonylchromium(0).^{340,341} Free anthracene shows unequal alternating C-C distances of

1.388Å and 1.430Å in each of the outer rings.³⁴² In the transition metal complex, the mean alternate carbon-carbon distances in the outer nonbonded ring are similar to the free anthracene at 1.390Å for C₇-C₈, C₉-C₁₀ and C₁₁-C₆ and for C₆-C₇, C₈-C₉ and C₁₀-C₁₁ (see Figure V-A-8 for a description of the numbering scheme used). The effect of the bonded chromium tricarbonyl on the outer ring is to cause equalization of these alternate bond lengths (mean of C₃-C₂, C₁-C₁₄, C₁₃-C₄ is 1.414Å and mean of C₄-C₃, C₂-C₁, C₁₄-C₁₃ is 1.423Å). The overall effect is to lengthen those bonds that would be involved in an octahedral localized bonding scheme. This effect is in marked contrast to that observed by Rees and Coppens³³¹ for benzenetricarbonyl-chromium(0).

Crystallographic X-ray structure determinations have also been accomplished on naphthalenetricarbonyl-chromium(0)³⁴³ and α-aminonaphthalenetricarbonyl-chromium(0).³⁴⁴ The metal bonds to the unsubstituted ring in the latter complex with the same lengthening of the chromium fused-ring carbons as observed for the orthorhombic phenanthrene complex.³³⁸ The six C-C bonds show no evidence of localized bonding however.

Muir and Ferguson have published³⁴⁵ the structure of 9,10-dihydrophenanthrenetricarbonylchromium(0) which crystallizes in space group P2₁/c. The same effect

Figure V-A-8. Anthracenetetracarboxylchromium(0). The numbering scheme is as in the original reference.



(the two anomalous chromium-carbon distances) as with the phenanthrene analog is seen here but the difference in the lengths is not as great (2.206(4) and 2.400(4)Å). All pertinent information on the geometries of these complexes can be found in Table V-A-2.

b) Substituted Arene Chromium Tricarbonyls

In all the complexes discussed above, the projection of the carbonyl ligands onto the plane of the six-membered ring intersects alternate C-C bonds. There are complexes, however, in which the carbonyls lie directly over every second carbon atom in the arene. We shall now examine what factors determine why this should occur.

G.A. Sim and co-workers at the University of Sussex as well as Dusauroy and Protas at Nancy, France, have been largely responsible for the X-ray diffraction studies of substituted arene chromium tricarbonyls. These researchers have placed groups on benzene which affect the ring electronically and have complexed these rings to chromium tricarbonyl. Structure analyses have exposed trends in these compounds for which rationalizations have been proposed.

TABLE V-A-2

INTERATOMIC DISTANCES IN SOME ARENE-CHROMIUM TRICARBONYLS^b

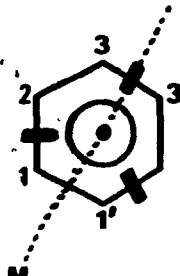
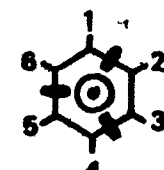

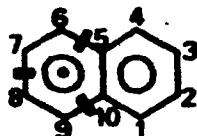
COMPOUND	METAL-ARENE DISTANCE (Å)	ARENE CARBON- CARBON DISTANCES (Å)	REMARKS AND REFERENCE
Benzene- tricarbonyl- chromium(0)	M-C ₁ : 2.230(09)	C ₁ -C _{1'} : 1.371(11)	Bailey and Dahl 330
	M-C ₂ : 2.218(08)	C ₁ -C ₂ : 1.402(08)	
	M-C ₃ : 2.216(08)	C ₂ -C ₃ : 1.404(08)	
	M-Ra : 1.724	C ₃ -C _{3'} : 1.421(11)	
	M-C ₁ : 2.240(02)	C ₁ -C _{1'} : 1.401(02)	X-ray data 78°K 331
	M-C ₂ : 2.229(02)	C ₁ -C ₂ : 1.421(02)	
	M-C ₃ : 2.217(02)	C ₂ -C ₃ : 1.402(02)	
		C ₃ -C _{3'} : 1.418(02)	
Hexamethyl- benzene- tricarbonyl- chromium(0)	M-C ₁ : 2.240(03)	C ₁ -C _{1'} : 1.404(02)	Neutron Diffract. 78°K 331
	M-C ₂ : 2.230(03)	C ₁ -C ₂ : 1.420(02)	
	M-C ₃ : 2.220(03)	C ₂ -C ₃ : 1.403(02)	
		C ₃ -C _{3'} : 1.419(03)	
	M-C ₁ : 2.211(09)	C ₁ -C ₂ : 1.448(13)	
	M-C ₂ : 2.253(10)	C ₂ -C ₃ : 1.461(14)	
	M-C ₃ : 2.235(10)	C ₃ -C ₄ : 1.379(14)	332
	M-C ₄ : 2.226(11)	C ₄ -C ₅ : 1.419(14)	
	M-C ₅ : 2.241(09)	C ₅ -C ₆ : 1.424(13)	
	M-C ₆ : 2.233(11)	C ₆ -C ₁ : 1.370(13)	
Diphenyl- bis-(tricarbonyl- chromium(0))	M-C _x : Average 2.20 ± 0.03	C _x -C _y : Not reported	 334

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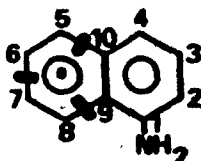
Naphthalene-
tricarbonyl-
chromium(0)



M-C ₉ :	2.214	C ₉ -C ₈ :	1.38(02) E.s.d.
M-C ₈ :	2.213	C ₈ -C ₇ :	1.38(02) not quoted
M-C ₇ :	2.191	C ₆ -C ₇ :	1.39(02) for the
M-C ₆ :	2.186	C ₆ -C ₅ :	1.40(02) metal-
M-C ₅ :	2.306	C ₅ -C ₁₀ :	1.44(02) carbon
M-C ₁₀ :	2.337	C ₁₀ -C ₉ :	1.45(02) distances

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1-amino-
naphthalene-
tricarbonyl-
chromium(0)



M-C ₈ :	2.19(02)	C ₈ -C ₇ :	1.43(03)
M-C ₇ :	2.23(02)	C ₇ -C ₆ :	1.41(03)
M-C ₆ :	2.24(02)	C ₆ -C ₅ :	1.43(03)
M-C ₅ :	2.22(02)	C ₅ -C ₁₀ :	1.42(03)
M-C ₁₀ :	2.30(02)	C ₁₀ -C ₉ :	1.43(03)
M-C ₉ :	2.30(02)	C ₉ -C ₈ :	1.45(03)

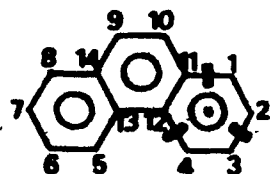
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Anthracene-
tricarbonyl-
chromium(0)

M-C ₁₄ :	2.219(08)	C ₁₄ -C ₁ :	1.372(13) See
M-C ₁ :	2.217(09)	C ₁ -C ₂ :	1.416(14) Figure
M-C ₂ :	2.221(09)	C ₂ -C ₃ :	1.420(14) V-A-8.
M-C ₃ :	2.215(09)	C ₃ -C ₄ :	1.442(12)
M-C ₄ :	2.340(08)	C ₄ -C ₁₃ :	1.449(12)
M-C ₁₃ :	2.234(08)	C ₁₃ -C ₁₄ :	1.410(11)

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Phenanthrene-
tricarbonyl-
chromium(0)



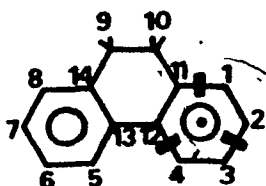
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		C ₂ -C ₃ :	1.40(09) form.
		C ₃ -C ₄ :	1.54(09)
		C ₄ -C ₁₂ :	1.36(09)
		C ₁₂ -C ₁₁ :	1.37(09)
		C ₁₁ -C ₁ :	1.56(09)
M-C ₁ :	2.212(05)	C ₁ -C ₂ :	1.389(07) Ortho-
M-C ₂ :	2.210(05)	C ₂ -C ₃ :	1.385(07) rhombic
M-C ₃ :	2.206(05)	C ₃ -C ₄ :	1.410(06) form.
M-C ₄ :	2.208(04)	C ₄ -C ₁₂ :	1.439(06)
M-C ₁₂ :	2.289(04)	C ₁₂ -C ₁₁ :	1.410(06)
M-C ₁₁ :	2.289(04)	C ₁₁ -C ₁ :	1.440(06)

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TABLE V-A-2 (CONT'D)

9,10-dihydro- phenanthrene- tricarboxyl- chromium(0)	M-C ₁ :	2.209(04)	C ₁ -C ₂ :	1.383(06)
	M-C ₂ :	2.208(04)	C ₂ -C ₃ :	1.392(07)
	M-C ₃ :	2.207(04)	C ₃ -C ₄ :	1.400(06)
	M-C ₄ :	2.200(04)	C ₄ -C ₁₂ :	1.415(06)
	M-C ₁₂ :	2.248(03)	C ₁₂ -C ₁₁ :	1.407(05)
	M-C ₁₁ :	2.232(04)	C ₁₁ -C ₁ :	1.422(06)

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- a Represents the distance from the least squares plane of the ring to the metal atom.
- b The heavy lines shown in the rings in the illustrations are projections of the carbonyl vectors onto the plane of the ring. The number in parentheses indicates the estimated standard deviation in the last two digits quoted in the length.

Carter, McPhail and Sim³⁴⁶ studied the X-ray diffraction analysis of methylbenzoatetricarbonylchromium(0). The authors found that, for octahedral co-ordination about the chromium atom, the extension of the carbonyl-chromium vectors implied bonding, not to the closest point which is midway between two carbons, but to carbon atoms carrying the greatest amount of negative charge. Through the mesomeric effect of the carbomethoxy group, electronic charge is removed in favour of relative electron excess in the *meta* positions.

The same effect has been observed for *o*-hydroxyacetylbenzenetricarbonylchromium(0) and the *o*-methoxyacetylbenzene analog.³⁴⁷⁻³⁴⁹ The former complex crystallizes in space group $P2_12_12_1$. With 410 reflections, the anisotropic refinement to 8.7% revealed no systematic differences in the bonding of chromium to ring carbons. There is a hydrogen bonded interaction between the acetyl oxygen and the hydrogen of the hydroxy group. All the substituent atoms are in the plane of the benzene ring.

Such is not the case for the methoxy derivative. The carbonyl oxygen is positioned above the plane of the benzene ring, the methyl group of the acetyl being consequently closer to the chromium tricarbonyl tripod. The angle between the planes of the acetyl group and the benzene plane is 21° . The methoxy methyl group is also

positioned below the benzene ring plane closer to the chromium tricarbonyl moiety. *O*-methoxyacetylbenzene tricarbonylchromium(0) crystallizes in space group $Pna2_1$ and 450 independent planes give an anisotropic refinement discrepancy factor of 7.6%. Again no systematic bond length differences can be detected.

In both these complexes, the acetyl group, through the mesomeric effect, enhances the relative electron density at positions in the ring *meta* to itself and in the substituted carbon atom. The inductive effect of the other substituent (hydroxy or methoxy) is to enhance electron density *ortho* and *para* to it. Since these complexes are *ortho* substituted, this inductive effect is reinforcing and the electron density at positions 1, 3 and 5 is quite high relative to that at positions 2, 4 and 6. These two complexes exist as enantiomers and studies have been made on these and other similar chiral complexes.³⁵⁰

Inasmuch as *meta*-directing acetyl groups force a preferred conformation of the chromium tricarbonyl tripod, so do *ortho*- and *para*-directing substituents. Sim *et al.*^{351,352} have reported the structure of 2-methylaniline-tricarbonylchromium(0) in which the amine, acting as an *ortho-para*-directing group, is responsible for the direction of the localized σ orbitals of the chromium atom. Since

the methyl group is also electron releasing, one might have expected a conflict but the amine function has a much more negative σ effect than the methyl group.

Methoxy is also *ortho-para*-directing and thus the same behavior would be expected for methoxybenzene-tricarbonylchromium(0) as was seen for the amine complex. This was indeed found to be true for this complex³⁵³ and for its 1,3,5-trinitrobenzene charge transfer analog whose crystal structure was also reported.³⁵⁴

Bush, Dullforce and Sim³⁵⁵ have reported the absolute configuration of (+)-tricarbonylchromium-*o*-toluic acid and (-)-tricarbonylchromium-*m*-toluic acid. A staggered conformation (similar to benzenetricarbonylchromium(0)) was found for these two complexes. The lack of electron density preference on the ring may be due to the fact that the mesomeric effect of the carboxy group enhances the charge in the *ortho* and *para* positions with respect to the *meta* positions by removing charge from the ring. The inductive effect acts in an opposite sense to replace this charge through the σ system.

Even more confusing is the discovery by the Dusausoy-Protas group³⁵⁶ that the acetylbenzenetricarbonylchromium(0) complex is in the staggered rather than in the eclipsed conformation. The effect of the acetyl group

should be to cause *meta*-direction of the electron charge (*viz.* the methylbenzoatetricarbonylchromium(0) complex³⁴⁶) and thus an eclipsed conformation. Crystal packing forces may be responsible for this anomaly because in solution the two complexes behave identically.³⁵⁷

Three other arene chromium tricarbonyl complexes are worthy of mention here. The crystal and molecular structures of π -(*exo*-2-acetoxynorbornenyl)-*exo*-tricarbonylchromium(0) has been reported.³⁵⁸ The chromium tricarbonyl tripod is bonded in the staggered conformation to the benzo-portion of the molecule. The chromium-to-least squares plane of the ring distance is normal and the C-C distances in the arene show no anomaly. The staggered position of the tripod is not viewed here as resulting from any electronic effects but is due primarily to the steric interaction with the hydrogen on the *exo*-norbornadiene bridgehead carbon.

Bowden and Colton³⁵⁹ have reported the isolation of chromium, molybdenum and tungsten tricarbonyl tris-(2-methylphenyl)phosphines in which one of the three 2-methylphenyl groups is π bonded to the metal. Colton *et al.*³⁶⁰ have also reported the isolation of a chromium bis(diphenylarsino)methane complex in which one arsenic atom is σ bonded to a chromium dicarbonyl fragment which π bonds to a phenyl ring on the other arsenic. This molecule

has been studied by X-ray diffraction and for 3213 independent planes in the centrosymmetric triclinic space group, an anisotropic reliability index of 9.0% was obtained.³⁶¹ The molecule is described in Figure V-A-9. No unusual bond lengths are observed.

All the foregoing chromium tricarbonyl substituted arene complexes which have been subjected to X-ray crystallographic structure analysis are listed in Table V-A-3 along with important quoted bond lengths. The projections of the carbonyl-chromium vectors onto the plane of the ring are marked by solid lines to illustrate the staggered or eclipsed conformations.

c) Other Transition Metal Carbonyl Arene Complexes

In 1969, Snow *et al.*³⁶² reported the structure of the hexamethylbenzeneiodotricarbonyltungsten(I) cation as its triiodide salt. The projections of the inorganic ligand-tungsten vectors onto the plane of the hexamethylbenzene ring must perforce be partly staggered and partly eclipsed. The bulky iodine atom lies under the midpoint of an arene C-C bond.

Various vanadium π -arene complexes have been

Figure V-A-9. Molecular configuration of the complex
 $\text{Ph}(\pi\text{-Ph})\text{As}\cdot\text{CH}_2\cdot\text{AsPh}_2\text{Cr}(\text{CO})_2$

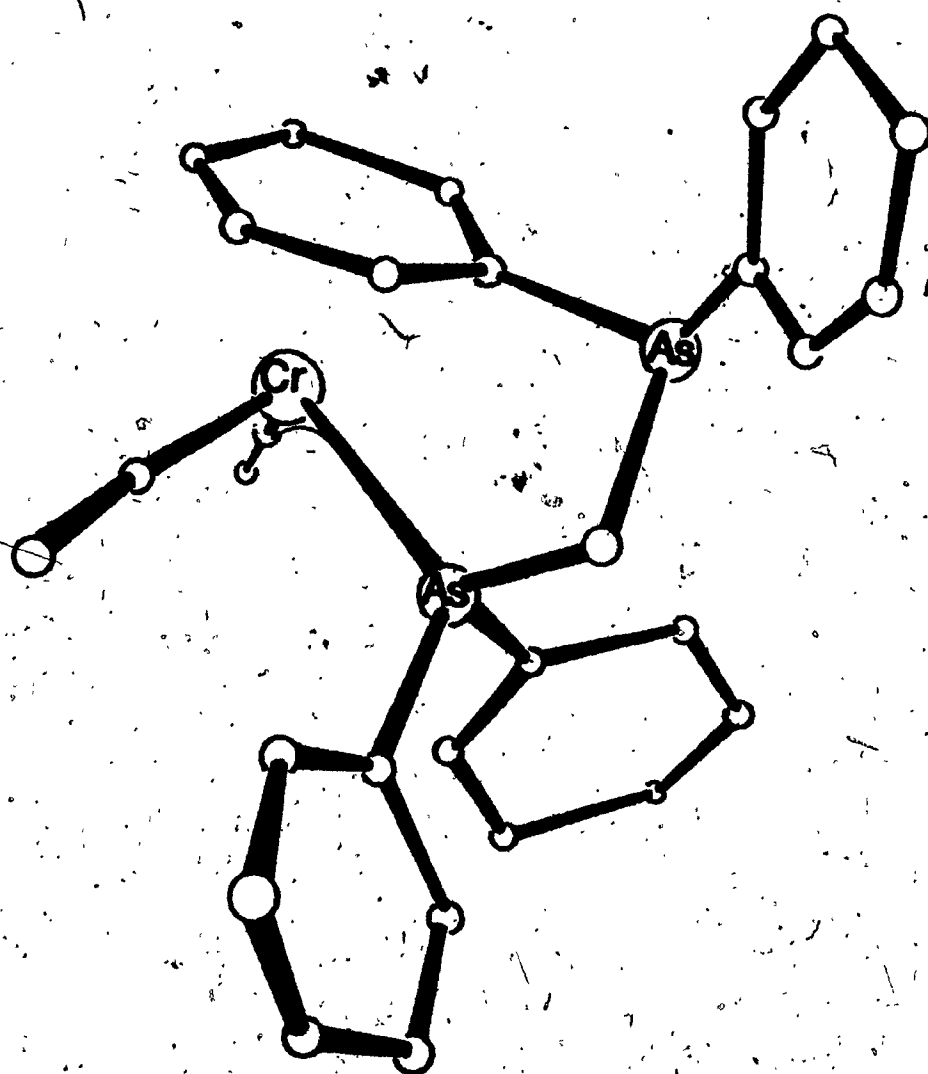


TABLE V-A-3

INTERATOMIC DISTANCES IN SOME SUBSTITUTED ARENE CHROMIUM

TRICARBONYL COMPLEXES^a

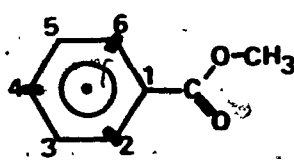
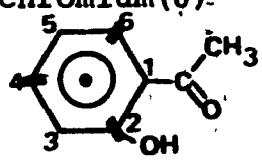
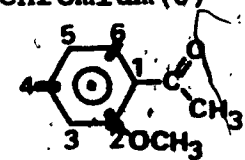
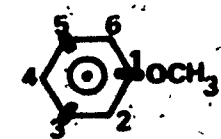
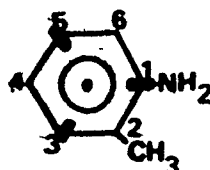
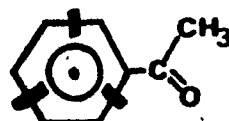
COMPOUND	METAL-ARENE DISTANCE (Å)	ARENE CARBON- CARBON DISTANCES (Å)	REMARKS AND REFERENCE
Methylbenzoate- tricarbonyl- chromium(0)	M-C ₁ : 2.21(1) M-C ₂ : 2.21(1) M-C ₃ : 2.21(1) M-C ₄ : 2.25(1) M-C ₅ : 2.22(1) M-C ₆ : 2.20(1)	C ₁ -C ₂ : 1.42(1) C ₂ -C ₃ : 1.39(2) C ₃ -C ₄ : 1.43(2) C ₄ -C ₅ : 1.40(2) C ₅ -C ₆ : 1.45(1) C ₆ -C ₁ : 1.40(1)	346
			
O-hydroxyacetyl- benzenetri- carbonyl- chromium(0)	M-C ₁ : 2.16(2) M-C ₂ : 2.33(3) M-C ₃ : 2.30(3) M-C ₄ : 2.27(4) M-C ₅ : 2.26(3) M-C ₆ : 2.16(2)	C ₁ -C ₂ : 1.49(4) C ₂ -C ₃ : 1.46(5) C ₃ -C ₄ : 1.41(5) C ₄ -C ₅ : 1.42(5) C ₅ -C ₆ : 1.44(5) C ₆ -C ₁ : 1.42(4)	349
			
O-methoxyacetyl- benzenetri- carbonyl- chromium(0)	M-C ₁ : 2.24(2) M-C ₂ : 2.28(3) M-C ₃ : 2.26(3) M-C ₄ : 2.22(3) M-C ₅ : 2.20(2) M-C ₆ : 2.20(2)	C ₁ -C ₂ : 1.47(4) C ₂ -C ₃ : 1.49(3) C ₃ -C ₄ : 1.34(4) C ₄ -C ₅ : 1.49(4) C ₅ -C ₆ : 1.35(4) C ₆ -C ₁ : 1.40(4)	349
			
Anisole- tricarbonyl- chromium(0)	M-C ₁ : 2.25 M-C ₂ : 2.20 M-C ₃ : 2.22 M-C ₄ : 2.22 M-C ₅ : 2.25 M-C ₆ : 2.27	C ₁ -C ₂ : 1.38(2) C ₂ -C ₃ : 1.43(2) C ₃ -C ₄ : 1.39(2) C ₄ -C ₅ : 1.39(2) C ₅ -C ₆ : 1.42(2) C ₆ -C ₁ : 1.44(2)	E. s. d. not quoted for metal to carbon distance. 353
			

TABLE V-A-3 (CONT'D)

Toluidene- tricarbonyl- chromium(0)	M-C ₁ :	2.37 (1)	C ₁ -C ₂ :	1.44 (2)	352
	M-C ₂ :	2.26 (1)	C ₂ -C ₃ :	1.40 (2)	
	M-C ₃ :	2.20 (1)	C ₃ -C ₄ :	1.37 (2)	
	M-C ₄ :	2.23 (2)	C ₄ -C ₅ :	1.38 (2)	
	M-C ₅ :	2.23 (1)	C ₅ -C ₆ :	1.43 (2)	
	M-C ₆ :	2.23 (2)	C ₆ -C ₁ :	1.38 (2)	



Acetylbenzene- tricarbonyl- chromium(0)	M-C _x :	Not Reported	C _x -C _y :	Not Reported	356
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(+)-tricarbonyl- chromium-o- toluic acid	M-C _x :	Average 2.21 ± 0.00 ⁶	C _x -C _y :	Not Reported	355
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(-)-tricarbonyl- chromium-m- toluic acid	M-C _x :	Average 2.20 ± 0.00 ⁶	C _x -C _y :	Not Reported	355
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π-(exo-2-acetoxy- benzenorbornenyl)- exo-tricarbonyl- chromium(0)	M-C _x :	Not Reported	C ₈ -C ₇ :	1.46 (1)	358
			C ₇ -C ₆ :	1.44 (1)	
			C ₆ -C ₅ :	1.47 (1)	
			C ₅ -C ₁₁ :	1.42 (1)	
			C ₁₁ -C ₁₀ :	1.41 (1)	
			C ₁₀ -C ₈ :	1.43 (1)	

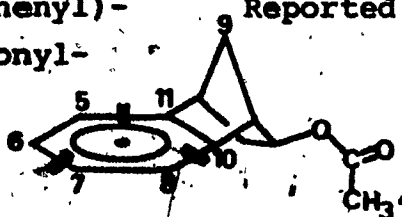
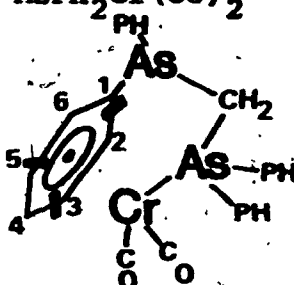


TABLE V-A-3 (CONT'D)

Ph (π -Ph)As-CH ₂ ·	M-C ₁ :	2.18(2)	C ₁ -C ₂ :	1.45(2)	361
AsPh ₂ Cr(CO) ₂	M-C ₂ :	2.22(2)	C ₂ -C ₃ :	1.45(2)	
	M-C ₃ :	2.20(2)	C ₃ -C ₄ :	1.37(2)	
	M-C ₄ :	2.18(2)	C ₄ -C ₅ :	1.38(2)	
	M-C ₅ :	2.19(2)	C ₅ -C ₆ :	1.47(2)	
	M-C ₆ :	2.22(2)	C ₆ -C ₁ :	1.40(2)	

^a The dark lines in the rings are the projections of the carbonyl vectors onto the plane of the ring.

reportedly synthesized^{363,364} although none have been investigated by X-ray diffraction. Hexacarbonylvandium(0) reacts with arenes with valence disproportionation to give arenetetracarbonylvandium(I) vandiumhexacarbonyl(-I) salts. The yields of the ionic complexes are as follows: naphthalene (<1%), anisole (<1%), o-xylene (29.8%), 1,2,4-trimethylbenzene (32.1%), 1,3,5-trimethylbenzene (40.9%) and 1,2,3-trimethylbenzene (53.4%). Calderazzo³⁶⁵ claims that the increase in percentage yield parallels the increased resistance against ligand elimination with increased methyl substitution.

In 1967, Lewis *et al.* reported the preparation of a ruthenium cluster $\text{Ru}_6\text{C}(\text{CO})_{17}$ and an arene derivative $\text{Ru}_6\text{C}(\text{CO})_{14}(\text{arene})$ in which the arene is either toluene, xylene or mesitylene.³⁶⁶ The two products were obtained by refluxing $\text{Ru}_3(\text{CO})_{12}$ with the appropriate arene and chromatographing the products. This is the first example of a π -bonded arene cluster complex. The red cluster $\text{Ru}_6\text{C}(\text{CO})_{17}$ was obtained in 5% yield whereas the purple complex in which an arene substitutes for three carbonyls on one ruthenium atom was obtained in higher yield according to a more complete report of the synthesis and nmr studies of these complexes.³⁶⁷

In 1968, Mason and Robinson³⁶⁸ completed the X-ray diffraction study of the mesitylene cluster. The

complex crystallizes in space group $P2_1/m$ and isotropic refinement to a discrepancy factor of 8.4% for 1195^o reflections has resulted in estimated standard deviations of 0.007Å for ruthenium-ruthenium bonds, 0.04Å for ruthenium-carbon bonds and 0.06Å for carbonyl carbon-oxygen bonds. The ruthenium atoms form a slightly distorted octahedron with a carbon atom at its center. All four ruthenium atoms are eight co-ordinate. Three metal atoms (forming a triangular face of the octahedron) are each bonded to four other metal atoms, the carbon and three terminal carbonyl ligands. Two other ruthenium atoms are each likewise bonded to four metal atoms and the carbon but they are bonded to but two terminal carbonyls, being bridged by a third carbonyl. The last ruthenium is bonded to four metal atoms, the carbon and the mesitylene moiety which acts as a six electron donor.

The mean ruthenium-carbon(arene) distance is 2.24Å. There could not have been obvious variations in the ring bond lengths since the authors chose but to quote the mean. The structure is reported for the interest the carbide represents and not to describe the arene-metal bonding. Perhaps a full paper published in time will allow a more critical evaluation of the π -arene bonding scheme in this complex..

Another cluster compound which contains

a π bonded arene ligand has been reported. Penfold and Robinson¹⁰⁸ have very recently published a review on the tricobalt carbon organometallic cluster complexes. In these compounds, a tetrahedron is formed in which three cobalt atoms form the basal plane and a monosubstituted carbon atom is the apex. The first report of these complexes was the preparation of $YCo_3(CO)_9$ in 1958.³⁶⁹ Here Y represents halogen, alkyl, aryl or carboxy groupings. To date detailed crystal structures have been reported for thirteen compounds containing the Co_3C cluster.

Reaction of $CH_3Co_3(CO)_9$ with mesitylene has resulted in the substitution of three carbonyl ligands on one cobalt atom by π mesitylene. This was first reported in 1968 by Robinson, Spencer and Hodges.¹⁰⁹ Nuclear magnetic resonance indicated the presence of the π bonded arene (5.46 δ) and the infrared bands in the carbonyl region were consistent with C_s symmetry for the complex.

The reaction of the cluster with arene is completely reversible and removal of carbon monoxide as the reaction progresses helps increase the yield of the product.³⁷⁰ Many arenes were used. Hexamethylbenzene, hexafluorobenzene and methylbenzoate do not react with the cluster. Of those arenes that do react, the order of stability of the clusters formed appears, from their ease of formation, to be mesitylene > xylene > toluene > benzene. It was also noticed

that the carbonyl stretching frequencies decrease with the increasing electron donating ability of the arene (benzene to mesitylene) as seen in Table V-A-4. According to the synergistic bonding scheme of transition metal carbonyls, the higher electron density from the arene increases the availability of electronic charge for back-bonding with the carbonyl carbon. This extra electronic charge further populates a π^* orbital on the carbon and thus decreases the order of the carbon-oxygen bond. This accounts for the lower infrared stretching frequency observed for the more electron releasing arenes.

A structure determination has been effected on the π -mesitylenephénylmethynylhexacarbonyltricobalt(0) and, first published as a note,³⁷¹ it was subsequently reported as a full paper.³⁷² The crystals are orthorhombic (space group Pnma) with but four molecules in the unit cell. The molecule lies on a crystallographic mirror plane which relates the two halves of both the π bonded mesitylene and the phenyl substituent.

In this cluster compound, the independent cobalt-arene carbon distances are 2.15(2), 2.17(1), 2.09(1) and 2.17(2) Å which gives an average value of 2.15(3) Å. The cobalt atom is 1.61 Å from the center of the mesitylene ring. The C-C arene bond lengths do not vary within standard deviations (1.41(1), 1.42(2), and 1.41(2) Å) giving

TABLE V-A-4

INFRARED SPECTRA OF SOME $\text{PhCCO}_3(\text{CO})_6$ (ARENE) COMPLEXES (2200-1700 cm^{-1})

$\text{PhCCO}_3(\text{CO})_6$ (mesitylene)	2063	2020	2006	1984	1971
$\text{PhCCO}_3(\text{CO})_6$ (o-xylene)	2064	2023	2008	1987	1973
$\text{PhCCO}_3(\text{CO})_6$ (m-xylene)	2064	2023	2008	1986	1973
$\text{PhCCO}_3(\text{CO})_6$ (p-xylene)	2065	2023	2009	1986	1973
$\text{PhCCO}_3(\text{CO})_6$ (toluene)	2066	2024	2009	1989	1976
$\text{PhCCO}_3(\text{CO})_6$ (benzene)	2067	2026	2011	1992	1978

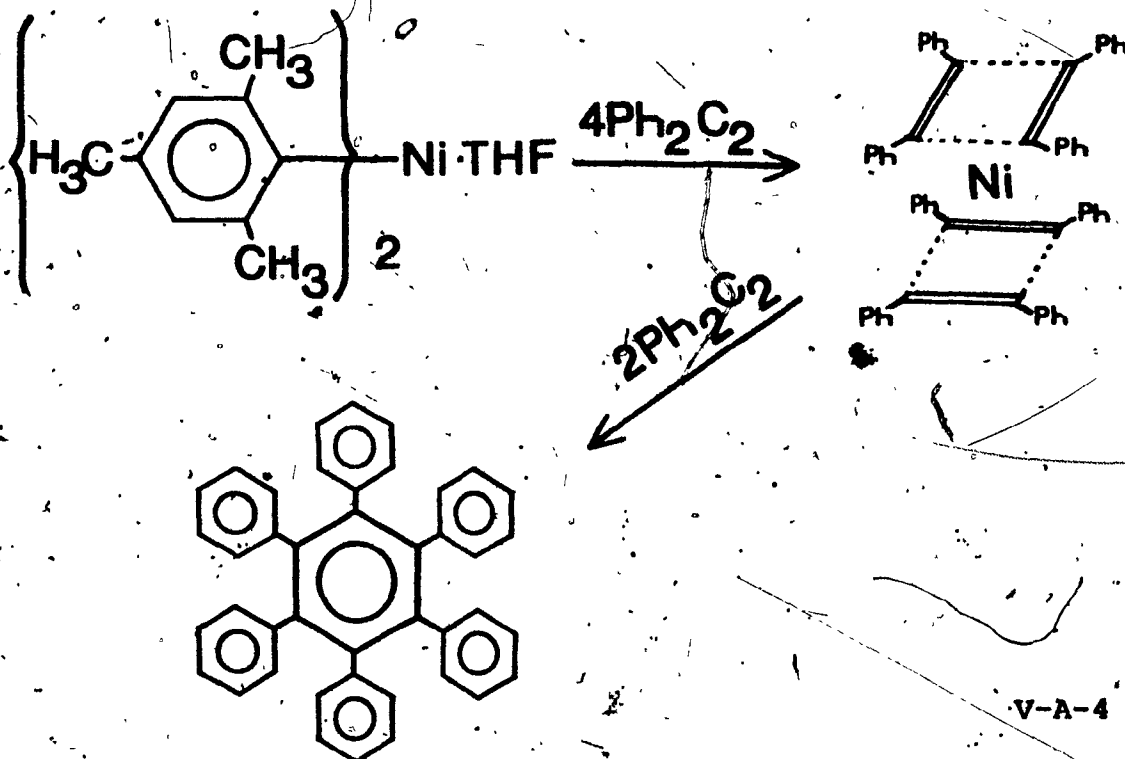
a mean value of 1.41(1)Å whereas the mean C-C phenyl distance in the same molecule is 1.37(3)Å. This molecule provides a classical example of the lengthening of the bonds upon complexation with respect to the phenyl bonds. The authors comment on the fact that the arene replaces three carbonyls on one cobalt rather than replacing the three axial carbonyls (one on each of the cobalt atoms) to bond π to all three cobalts as is the case for the π -cyclo-octatetraenephenylmethinylnhexacarbonyltricobalt(0) complex.³⁷¹

4. Cyclic Trimerization of Acetylene

The field of cyclic trimerization of acetylenes has been recently reviewed.³⁷³ It will be sufficient here to show the connection between π -arene complexes of transition metals and the catalytic synthesis of substituted benzenes from acetylene.

Tsutsui and Zeiss³⁷⁴ independently from G.N. Schrauzer,³⁷⁵ showed that dimesitylnickel(II) tetrahydrofuranate reacts with tolane (diphenylacetylene) in a one to four ratio to give an intractable black material which subsequently reacts with two further moles of tolane to give two moles of hexaphenylbenzene (Equation V-A-4). The

concept of π bonded acetylene trimerization was extrapolated to chromium, manganese and cobalt systems through the work of Herwig, Zeiss and Tsutsui. 376-378



Triphenylchromium(III) tetrahydrofuranate is an octahedral d^2sp^3 system in which the tetrahydrofuran is essential to the stability of triphenylchromium. The tetrahydrofuran ligands can be replaced however and, since they are indigenous to one triangular face of the octahedron, the replacing ligands might well be expected to be in a position to react together. Addition of acetylene or monosubstituted acetylenes to a tetrahydrofuran solution of triphenylchromium(III) causes rapid and uncontrolled polymerization

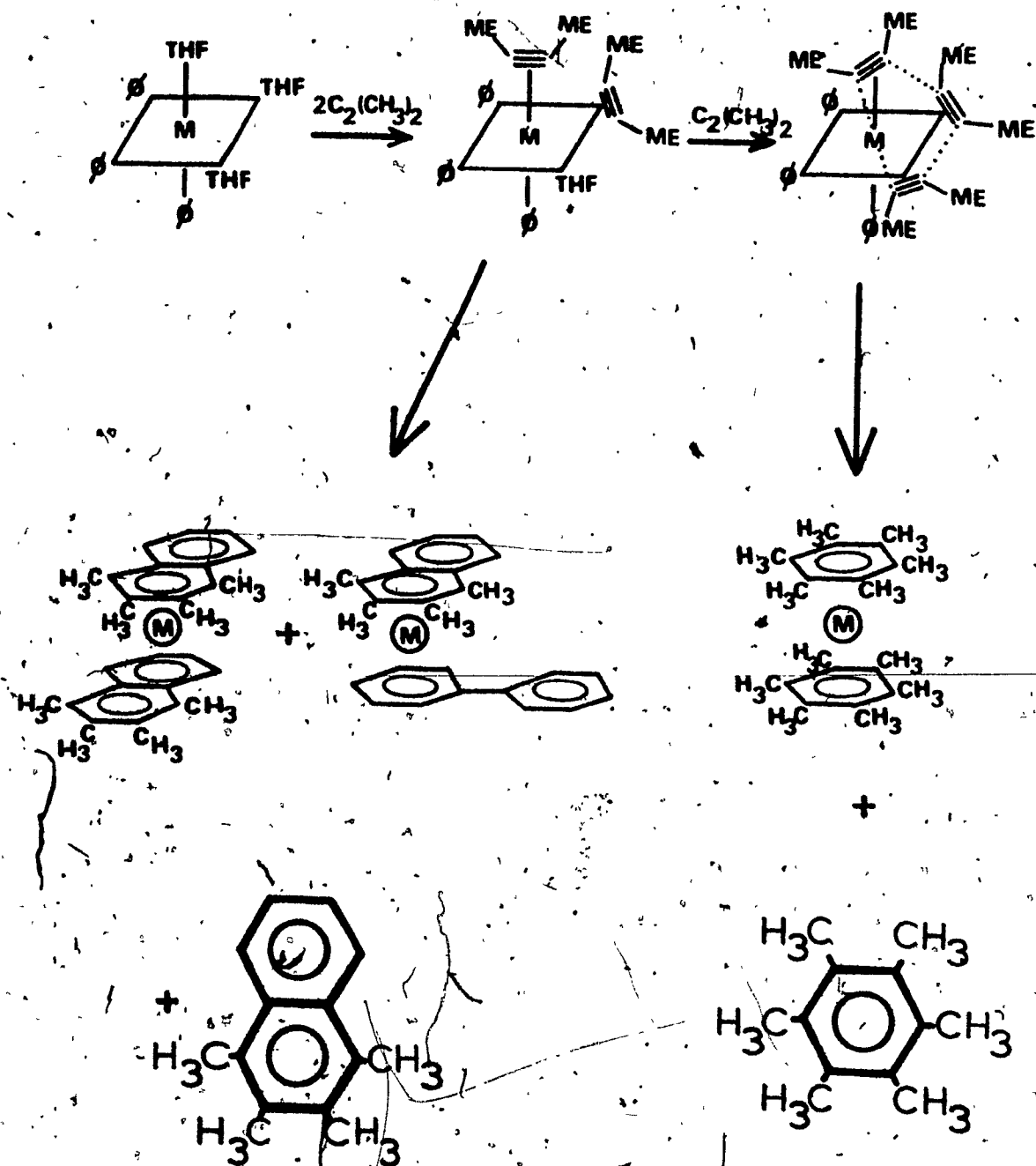
of the acetylene. When the acidic hydrogen is absent, as in the case of disubstituted acetylenes, a controlled reaction is observed.

The products of this reaction are dependent on the ratio of acetylene to triphenylchromium(III) adduct used. The reaction sequence and the proposed intermediates are shown in Figure V-A-10. It will be noted that both the aromatic hydrocarbon desired and an intermediate π -arene complex are isolated. This method can be used in the synthesis of bis-arene complexes.

The synthesis of hexamethylbenzene from 2-butyne can be accomplished by reacting cobaltous chloride and mesitylmagnesium bromide in tetrahydrofuran to give a slurried solution of dimesitylcobalt(II). To this slurry was added the acetylene and the mixture was refluxed. The tetrahydrofuran was replaced by diethylether and the solution was treated with water. The organic layer was dried and hexamethylbenzene was obtained upon evaporation. Treatment of the water layer with tetraphenylboron yielded the dihexamethylbenzenechromium(I) as its tetraphenylborate salt. A similar trimerization reaction sequence involving manganese has also been developed.

Arnett, Strem and Friedel⁸³ reported the synthesis of di(2,2,5,5-tetramethyl-3,4-hexyne)hexacarbonyl-

Figure V-A-10. Summary of the cyclic trimerization of
2-butyne using triphenylchromium(III).



dicobalt(0) ($(t\text{-Bu-C}\equiv\text{C-Bu}^t)\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$) and its reaction with six moles to t-butylacetylene to form 1,2,4,5-tetra-t-butylbenzene. No mechanistic arguments were presented. In the same year, 1,2,4-tri-t-butylbenzene was synthesized³⁷⁹ by the bromine decomposition of $(\text{HC}\equiv\text{CBu}^t)_3\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_4$. The authors of this work put forth the hypothesis that this complex consisted of a seven-membered metallocyclic ring as shown in Figure V-A-11a.

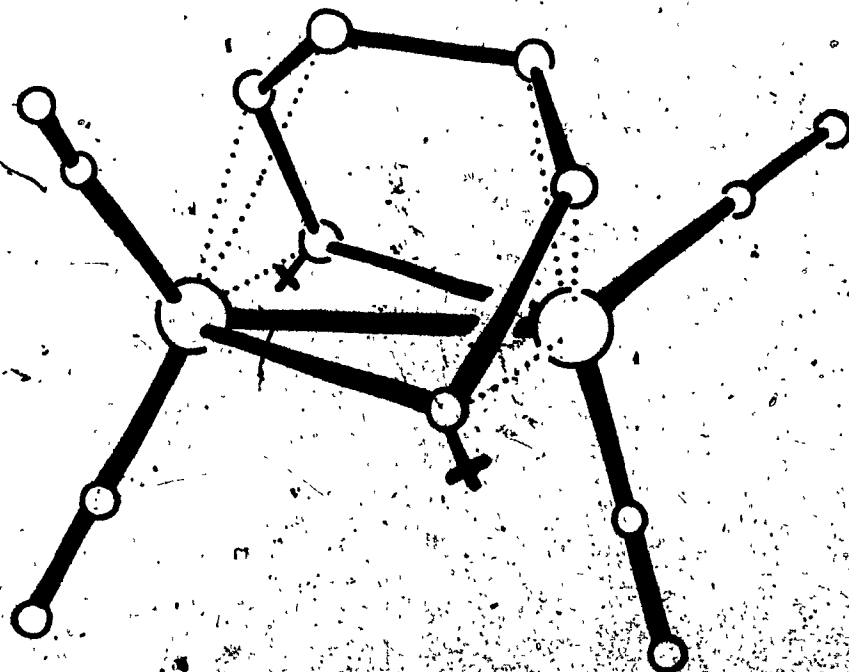
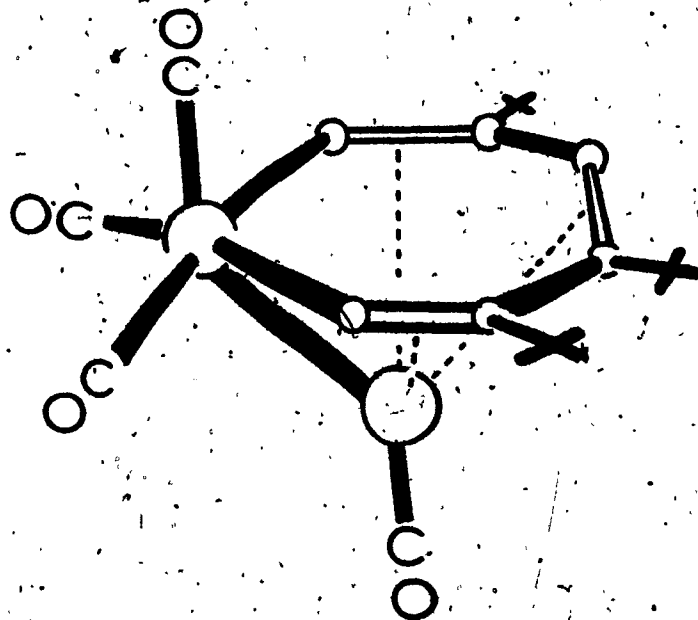
In 1964, Mills and Robinson³⁸⁰ proved by an X-ray crystallographic structure determination that the complex $(\text{HC}\equiv\text{CBu}^t)_2(\text{HC}\equiv\text{CH})\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_4$ has a diallyl type of 'flyover bridge' structure as shown in Figure V-A-11b. Another intermediate in the cyclic trimerization of acetylene had been found. It will undoubtedly not be the last.

5. Arene Tetracobalt Enneacarbonyls

Steinberg, Wender and Orchin³⁸¹ have described an analytical method for the determination of the amount of dicobaltoctacarbonyl remaining in an incomplete reaction sequence. Stirring the carbonyl in benzene solution

Figure V-A-11a. Seven-membered metallocyclic ring intermediate proposed by Kruecke, Hübel and Hoogzand for the complex $(\text{HC}\equiv\text{CBu}^t)_3\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_4$. 379

Figure V-A-11b. The X-ray crystallographically-determined structure of the complex $(\text{HC}\equiv\text{CBu}^t)_2(\text{HC}\equiv\text{CH})\cdot\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_4$. 380



produced a dark precipitate which was not identified and the liberation of 40% of the available carbon monoxide.

Hieber, in two independent reports,^{382,383} published the results of the reaction of dicobaltoctacarbonyl with benzonitrile and aniline. Two benzonitrile complexes recovered are claimed to be $\text{Co}(\text{C}_7\text{H}_5\text{N})_{1.9}(\text{Co}(\text{CO})_4)_2$ and $\text{Co}(\text{C}_7\text{H}_5\text{N})_6(\text{Co}(\text{CO})_4)_2$. Aniline also reacts with dicobaltoctacarbonyl to give the complex $\text{Co}(\text{C}_6\text{H}_7\text{N})_2(\text{Co}(\text{CO})_4)_2$ which subsequently decomposes to tetracobaltdodecacarbonyl, cobalt metal and aniline.

Fischer and Berkert³⁸⁴ simultaneously with Chini and Ercoli³⁸⁵ published the results of the reaction of dicobaltoctacarbonyl with benzene or toluene at 80°C in the presence of aluminum bromide. The results reported here are those of the latter group. It is claimed by these authors that the intermediate in the reaction sequence is $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8 \cdot \text{AlBr}_3$. This subsequently reacts with the arene to give the cation $\text{Co}_3(\text{CO})_2(\text{arene})_3$ which was isolated as its iodide, bromide and tetraphenylborate salts.

The structure of this ionic species is presumed to be described by a triangle of cobalt atoms, each atom of which is π bonded to an arene. The two carbonyl ligands are assumed to be each bonded to the three cobalt atoms forming a three-centered bridge. No structural studies have been

accomplished other than infrared spectral interpretation. Chini and Ercoli claim that, in the absence of the aluminum bromide, dicobaltoctacarbonyl "does not react thermally with aromatic hydrocarbons to form π -arene complexes".³⁸⁶ This statement was proven false but not until thirteen years had passed.

It is most probably a reflection on the degree of reactivity of dicobaltoctacarbonyl that reactions could have been carried out in refluxing benzene (which is an often-used solvent) without formation of a π benzene cobalt carbonyl complex. It is perhaps also a reflection on chemists who do not separate minor products chromatographically that small yields of this π -benzene cobalt carbonyl complex could have been overlooked for such a long time.

Pauson and co-workers published a note³⁸⁷ in which they describe the reaction of bicyclo{2,2,1}hepta-2,5-diene with acetylenehexacarbonyldicobalt(0) and phenylacetylenehexacarbonyldicobalt(0). When a non-aromatic solvent was used (dimethoxyethane or isooctane), the major product was pentahaptocyclopentadienyldicarbonylcobalt(II). However, when the solvent was benzene or toluene, refluxing the reactants gave the aforementioned product in minor yield. The major product here was (arene)Co₄(CO)₉ as determined by chemical analysis, mass spectral and nmr studies. The

infrared spectra indicated both bridging and terminal carbonyl stretching bands. The reaction products and the structure proposed for them were those illustrated in Figure V-A-12.

Complexes have been made with xylene, mesitylene and anisole as well. It was found that simple warming of the arene in the presence of tetracobaltdodecacarbonyl or dicobaltoctacarbonyl (which decomposes to tetracobaltdodecacarbonyl as discussed in the General Introduction of this Thesis) gave the complexes.

A complete infrared study³⁸⁸ of the toluene-, tetrahydronaphthalene-(tetralin) and mesityleneeneacarbonyl-tetracobalt(0) complexes has recently been published. Table V-A-5 gives the terminal and bridging carbon-oxygen stretching frequencies for these three complexes.

From a study of the observed intensities of the terminal carbonyl stretching modes, the authors place certain constraints on the angle α_1 (formed between the vector joining a basal to an apical cobalt atom and the vector defined by the same basal cobalt and the carbonyl carbon atom) and α_2 (the angle subtended at the basal cobalt defined by the two terminal carbonyl carbons). It is claimed that α_2 should be within the range $90^\circ < \alpha_2 < 104^\circ$ whereas the upper limit for $\alpha_1 + \alpha_2$ should be 215.3° . It is

Figure V-A-12. A schematic representation of the reaction studied by Pauson *et al.* 387,289

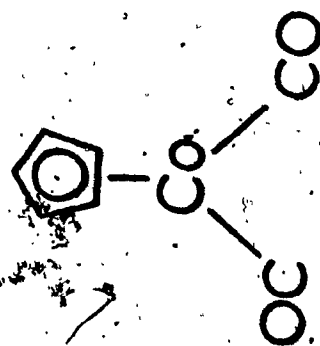
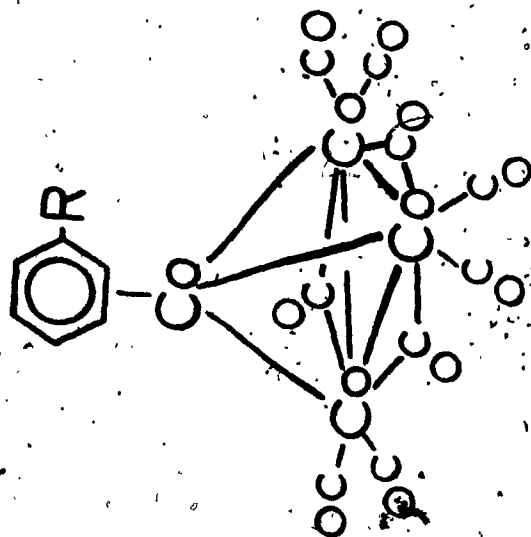
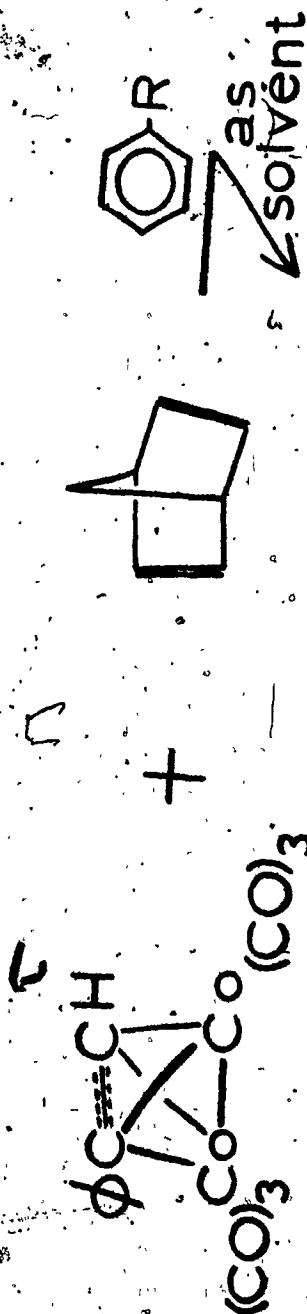


TABLE V-A-5

CARBONYL STRETCHING FREQUENCIES (cm^{-1}) OF (ARENE) $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ COMPOUNDS

ARENE	TERMINAL C-O FREQUENCIES			BRIDGING
Toluene	2074.5 (s)	2031.2 (vs)	2013.0 (s)	1999.8 (m) 1829.0
Tetralin	2073.1 (s)	2029.4 (vs)	2011.8 (s)	1998.6 (m) 1856 1829-1825
Mesitylene	2072.0 (s)	2028.8 (vs)	2009.6 (s)	1996.8 (m) 1829.0

also noted that there is an increase in the angle α_1 due to steric interactions in the arene order toluene < tetralin < mesitylene.

To amplify their note, Pauson *et al.*³⁸⁹ published a full paper in May, 1973 on the arene enneacarbonyltetracobalt(0) complexes studied by them. Little is said about the infrared spectra of these compounds. Values of 2065(s), 2020(vs), 2003(s) and 1990(m) cm^{-1} are quoted for the terminal and 1820 cm^{-1} for the bridging carbonyl bands. All values are to within $\pm 5 \text{ cm}^{-1}$.

In contrast, the nmr investigation appears to be quite thorough. The aromatic protons absorb about 1.2 ppm to higher field than the parent arenes. The ring protons of benzene absorb at 6.17 δ in a carbon disulphide solution of benzeneenneacarbonyltetracobalt(0). The other arenes absorb around the same region.

The arenes used, the yields (based on the norbornadiene-phenylacetylene-dicobalthexacarbonyl reaction) and nmr data are summarized in Table V-A-6. The methoxybenzenes appeared to give the most unstable complexes reported. Chlorobenzene is claimed to form a very unstable complex but in trace amounts. The authors have been unable to isolate the arene-rhodium analogs.

TABLE V-A-6

(ARENE)Co₄(CO)₉ COMPLEXES SYNTHESIZED BY PAUSON *et al.*³⁸⁹

ARENE	YIELD (%)	RING PROTONS CHEMICAL SHIFT (δ)
Benzene	36%	6.17
Toluene	28%	6.05
Ethylbenzene	19%	6.00
<i>o</i> -xylene	36%	5.95
<i>m</i> -xylene	37%	5.92 (middle)
<i>p</i> -xylene	39%	5.93
mesitylene	49%	5.90
1,2,4,5-tetramethylbenzene	35%	Not Reported
Pentamethylbenzene	22%	Not Reported
Hexamethylbenzene	21%	----
Anisole	15%	6.07, 5.73
2-methylmethoxybenzene	18%	Not reported
4-methylmethoxybenzene	20%	Not reported
3,5-dimethylmethoxybenzene	23%	Not reported

In this paper the authors state that D.W. Hudson and O.S. Mills have confirmed the structure of the greenish-black *p*-xyleneeneacarbonyltetracobalt(0) complex by X-ray diffraction although no results have as yet been published.

SECTION B. EXPERIMENTAL

1. Synthesis of Xyleneeneacarbonyltetracobalt(0)

2,2,5,5-tetramethyl-3-hexyne ($C_{10}H_{18}$, 0.60 g, 4.4 millimoles) in 25 ml hexane was added to 1.50 g (4.4 millimoles) dicobaltoctacarbonyl ($Co_2(CO)_8$) in 50 ml hexane. The reaction mixture was refluxed ($69^{\circ}C$) for 18 hours and then cooled. The solvent was evaporated to 5 ml and this was placed on a chromatographic column. The column was 2 inches in diameter and 18 inches long. The silica gel, used to pack the column wet, was previously deactivated with water (40% w/w).

A black insoluble powder stayed at the top of the column. Two bands were observed to separate well. The first was deep red and was eluted using hexane. The solvent was evaporated completely from the red solution to yield 1.14 g of red crystals which constituted the anticipated product $Co_2(CO)_6(C_{10}H_{18})$ in 61% yield. Decomposition occurred at $220^{\circ}C$ in accordance with the original paper on the preparation of the complex.⁸³ The infrared spectrum and mass spectrometric analysis gave results which positively identified the red solid as di-t-butylacetylenehexacarbonyldicobalt(0).

The second band on the column was olive-green

and was slow moving with hexane. It was eluted (using chloroform) as a single band and the solvents were removed *in vacuo*. A weight of 0.12 g of this green complex was obtained which corresponds to 9.2% of the available cobalt based on $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ (xylene).

The solid was investigated by infrared spectroscopy using the NUJOL mull and the carbon disulphide solution techniques. The results of such an investigation are presented in Table V-B-1. The complex was also examined in a cursory manner by mass spectrometric analysis. Two strong peaks dominated the spectrum, the next strongest peak being but 8% the intensity of the first two. These two peaks were at m/e 91 and m/e 106. Peaks higher than m/e 106 were small if at all perceptible.

The sample decomposed without melting in the range $139\text{--}142^\circ\text{C}$. The solid, upon heating, appeared to moisten just before a liquid appeared in the capillary tube. Brown-red crystals formed in the colder section of the capillary as confirmed by microscopic examination.

2. Purification and Use of ANACHEMIA Hexane

500 ml of solvent hexane were treated with 100 ml concentrated sulphuric acid. The two phases were

TABLE V-B-1

INFRARED PEAKS^a (cm^{-1}) FOR (o,m-XYLENE)ENNEACARBONYLTETRACOBALT

2960 (m) †	1287 (m) †
2924 (s) †	1270 (m) †
2870 (m, sh) †	1262 (m, sh) †
2857 (m) †	1135 (w, sh) †
	1122 (w) †
2077 (s)	1072 (w) †
2032 (vs)	1037 (w) †
2015 (vs)	
1997 (m)	838 (w) †
1966 (w) †	827 (w) †
1822 (s)	540 (m)
1730 (m) †	516 (m)
	480 (w)
1380 (w) †	426 (m)

^a Unless otherwise indicated, all frequencies were recorded in the form of their NUJOL mulls on KBr windows using the IR-457 ($\pm 3 \text{ cm}^{-1}$). Those peaks marked with a † were recorded by IR-457 ($\pm 3 \text{ cm}^{-1}$) of carbon disulphide solution using 1.0 mm sodium chloride matched cells.

stirred vigorously while refluxing for a period of three hours. The mixture was cooled and the sulphuric acid layer was removed. Two hundred milliliters of water (containing sodium bicarbonate) were added to the hexane layer and the salting-out procedure gave hexane free from aromatics. Excess water was removed and the hexane was refluxed over calcium hydride for one week.

The synthesis described in Part 1 of this Section was repeated and work-up using column chromatography gave no indication of the olive-green complex. Only tetracobaltdodecacarbonyl was recovered. Dicobaltoctacarbonyl was dissolved in untreated ANACHEMIA hexane and refluxed for 24 hours. A small olive-green band was observed with column chromatography. The same experiment was repeated using the treated ANACHEMIA hexane but no green band was observed.

3. Synthesis of Benzeneenneacarbonyltetracobalt(0)

1.50 g of dicobaltoctacarbonyl (4.4 millimoles) was dissolved in 75 ml reagent grade benzene. With constant stirring under a nitrogen atmosphere, the solution was refluxed for 21 hours. The solution turned dark brown during the first ten hours of reaction. Then a metallic mirror formed on the inner surface of the flask and an insoluble

black powder was observed to form. The solution slowly turned from brown to olive-green.

The solution was cooled and filtered to remove the small amount of black paramagnetic powder which had formed. The benzene was then removed *in vacuo* at room temperature and the remaining black solid was redissolved in hexane to give an olive-green solution. The filtered hexane solution, stoppered under nitrogen, deposited crystals of benzeneeneacarbonyltetracobalt at 0°C and these were removed from the solution, washed with cold hexane and dried *in vacuo*. 0.65 g of benzeneeneacarbonyltetracobalt was obtained which represents a 52% yield based on dicobaltoctacarbonyl.

The solid complex was obtained in the form of fine needles which were unsuitable for X-ray crystallographic analysis. These crystals decomposed without melting to give a liquid (benzene presumably) and a cobalt mirror in the range 145-147°C. In other synthetic procedures similar to that described above, a grey powder was obtained which redissolved completely to give a green solution. Examination under the microscope indicated a surface deterioration (probably due to oxidation) was responsible for the grey colour. The large decomposition range of 152-158°C supported the argument that this form of the complex was impure. Finally, rhombohedral-like crystals (without surface deterioration) were obtained

when extra care was exercised to exclude oxygen. These crystals, which were opaque to transmitted light and appeared black to reflected light, decomposed without melting in the range 139-141°C. They were used for crystal structure determination and all other chemical and physical investigations. Chemical analysis gave %C = 31.91, %H = 1.22 and %Co = 41.32. The theoretical analysis for $C_{15}H_6Co_4O_9$ is %C = 31.84, %H = 1.07 and %Co = 41.65.

The infrared spectrum of benzeneeneacarbonyltetracobalt(0) was recorded in its NUJOL mull form. The results of these investigations are presented in Table V-B+2.

4. The Synthesis of Tetracobaltdodecacarbonyl

Tetracobaltdodecacarbonyl ($Co_4(CO)_{12}$) was prepared²⁶ by refluxing dicobaltoctacarbonyl in ligroin at 66°C for a day or two. The solvents were removed and the solutes redissolved in hexane. The solution was chromatographed on a silica gel/hexane column which had been deactivated with 15% (w/w) water. The $Co_4(CO)_{12}$ band was eluted with hexane, the solvent was evaporated to concentrate the solution and this was kept at 0°C under nitrogen gas overnight to precipitate large black crystals of $Co_4(CO)_{12}$ which were washed with cold hexane, dried *in vacuo* and

TABLE V-B-2

INFRARED PEAKS^a (cm⁻¹) FOR BENZENEENNEACARBONYLTETRACOBALT

2078 (s)	1030 (w, bd)
2045 (m, sh)	
2035 (vs)	898 (w)
2018 (vs)	822 (w, sh)
1996 (s)	808 (m)
1965 (w)†	792 (w, sh) 785 (m)†
1824 (s)	546 (m)
	522 (m)
1264 (w)	490 (w)
1095 (w, bd)	436 (m)

^a Unless otherwise indicated, all frequencies were recorded in the form of their NUJOL mulls on KBr windows using the IR-457 (± 3 cm⁻¹). Those peaks marked with a † were recorded by IR-457 (± 3 cm⁻¹) using a carbon disulphide solution of the complex in 1.0 mm sodium chloride matched cells.

stored under nitrogen until used. Care was exercised to ensure that $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ was not obtained in microcrystalline form since, as such, it has a tendency to pyrolyze.

5. Synthesis and Characterization of some π -Areneenea-carbonyltetracobalt(0) Complexes

572.0 mg (1.0 millimoles) of the $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ described above (purified by column chromatography) was weighed and dissolved in ligroin. To this was added 1.0 millimoles of one of seven arenes (hexafluorobenzene, hexachlorobenzene, benzene, *o*-xylene, *m*-xylene, 1,3,5-trimethylbenzene and hexamethylbenzene) either as a liquid (from a 1.0 ml syringe) or as a solid. The reaction mixture, under nitrogen gas, was refluxed (66.2°C) in each case for exactly 26 hours, at which point reaction was assumed to be complete.

The reaction mixture was allowed to cool and the solvent was evaporated to dryness. Hexane was used to redissolve the solutes and this solution was eluted through a chromatographic column 1 1/2 inches wide and 12 inches long packed with untreated silica gel in hexane. The first band, when present, was $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ and this was eluted with hexane. The solvents were removed in *vacuo* and the $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ was dried and weighed.

The second olive-green band remained on the column and was removed with dichloromethane (CH_2Cl_2) after the $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ had been removed. In most cases the solution was stable to air oxidation for short periods of time and thus could be handled conveniently. The solvents were removed *in vacuo* and the green-black solid so obtained was dried for a 12 hour period. The weight of this product was obtained.

This experimental sequence was repeated using dicobaltoctacarbonyl (684.0 mg , 2.0 millimoles) instead of $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$. The reaction was allowed to proceed for 36 hours in this case rather than 46. The quantities of reactants used and percentage yields for the various π -areneenneacarbonyltetracobalt(0) complexes formed by the two methods are given in Tables V-B-3 and V-B-4 for the $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ and $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$ starting materials respectively. Table V-B-3 also quotes the approximate decomposition temperature ranges for the π -arene complexes formed. All complexes decomposed giving the free arene (liquid droplets or solid crystals condensed on the upper portion of the capillary tube), sublimed crystals of $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ (identified by infrared spectroscopy) and a black powder residue surrounded by a cobalt mirror.

The benzeneenneacarbonyltetracobalt(0) complex was subjected to chemical analysis as indicated earlier.

TABLE V-B-3

 $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12} + \text{Arene} \rightarrow (\text{Arene})\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9 + 3\text{CO} +$

Arene	Quantity of Arene Reacted with 1 millimole (572 mg) $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$	Yield of product g	$\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ recovered g	Decomposition Temperature Range $^{\circ}\text{C}$
C_6F_6	186 mg	0.0209 g 3.1%	0.4673 g 81.7%	143+145
C_6Cl_6	285 mg	0.2417 g 31.4%	0.2631 g 46.0%	142+144
C_6H_6	78 mg + 0.09 ml	0.2193 g 38.6%	0.1204 g 21.0%	139+142
o-xylene	106 mg	0.2592 g 43.6%	0.0150 g 2.6%	139+143
m-xylene	106 mg	0.2654 g 44.7%	0.0702 g 12.3%	138+140
$\text{C}_6\text{H}_3(\text{CH}_3)_3$	120 mg	0.4796 g 78.9%	---	158+160
$\text{C}_6(\text{CH}_3)_6$	162 mg	0.5798 g 89.2%	---	162+165

TABLE V-B-4

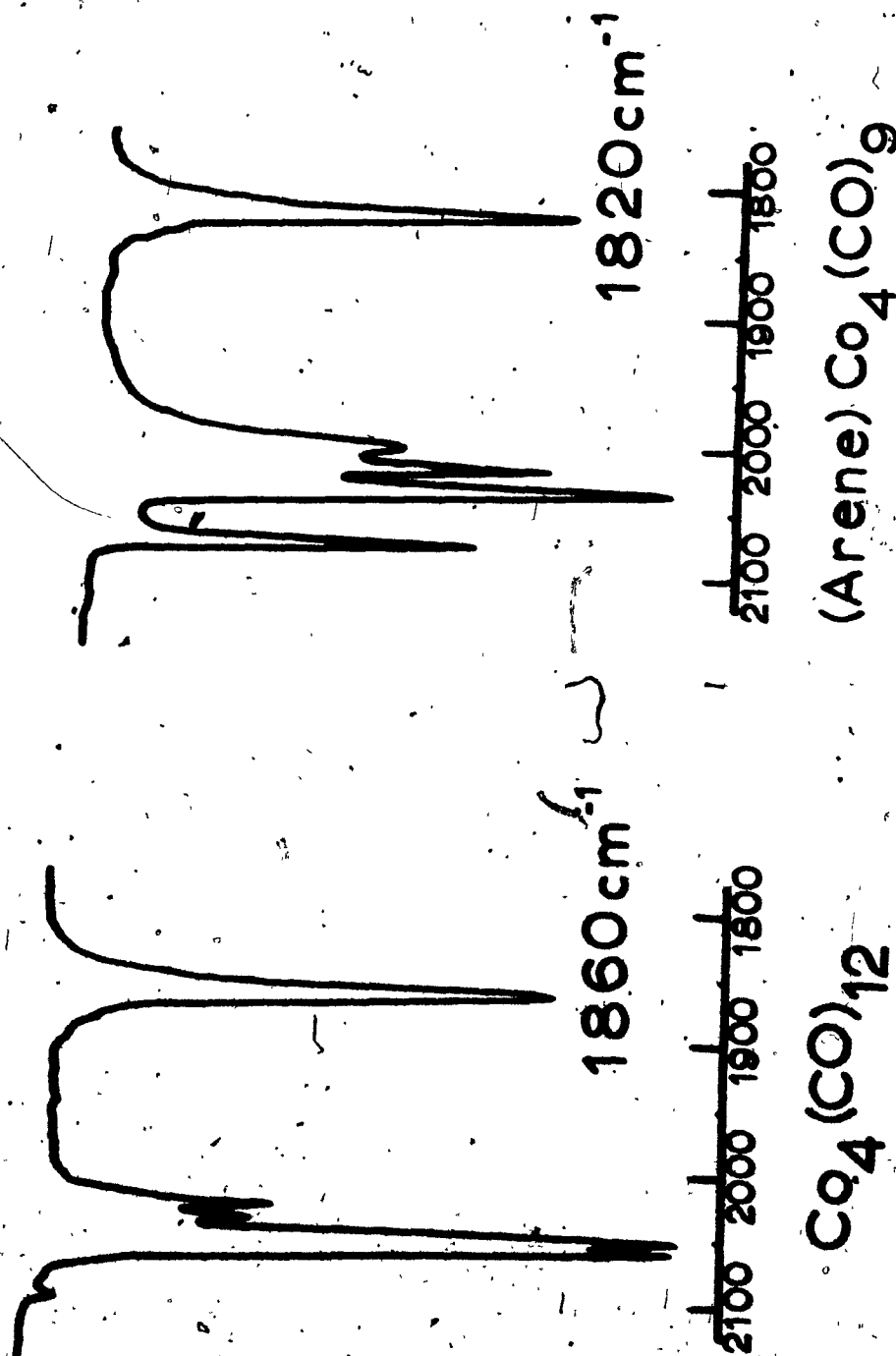
2CO ₂ (CO) ₈ + Arene + (Arene)Co ₄ (CO) ₉ + 7CO†		2CO ₂ (CO) ₈ + Co ₄ (CO) ₁₂ + 4CO†		Yield of Co ₄ (CO) ₁₂ product recovered g		Infrared Frequencies in Stretching Carbonyl Region (cm ⁻¹)					
Arene	Quantity of Arene Reacted with 2 millimoles (584 mg) CO ₂ (CO) ₈	CO ₂ (CO) ₈	g	g	g	s	vs	vs	s	w	s
C ₆ F ₆	186 mg	0.12 ml	0.0153 g 2.5%	0.5841 g 85.4%		2077	2031	2012	1997	1963	1814
C ₆ Cl ₆	285 mg		0.2228 g 28.9%	0.4628 g 60.3%		2075	2029	2010	1994	1962	1817
C ₆ H ₆	78 mg	0.09 ml	0.1200 g 38.8%	0.1522 g 26.6%		2078	2033	2015	1997	1964	1823
o-xylene	106 mg	0.12 ml	0.2471 g 41.6%	0.1074 g 15.7%		2077	2032	2012	1997	1963	1820
m-xylene	106 mg	0.12 ml	0.2560 g 43.1%	0.1973 g 34.9%		2078	2038	2018	1997	1962	1820
C ₆ H ₃ (CH ₃) ₃	120 mg	0.14 ml	0.4453 g 76.3%	0.0185 g 2.7%		2076	2033	2014	1994	1961	1816
C ₆ (CH ₃) ₆	162 mg		0.5461 g 84.6%	---		2077	2032	2015	1992	1961	1808

It was decided not to send all (arene) $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ complexes for analysis since their infrared spectra in the carbonyl stretching region were sufficiently characteristic to afford proper identification. However, the hexamethylbenzene-
enneacarbonyltetracobalt(0) complex was verified by analysis and the results agreed. The experimental %C = 38.94, %H = 2.80 and %Co = 35.94 whereas the theoretical values based on $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{18}\text{Co}_4\text{O}_9$ are %C = 38.80, %H = 2.79 and %Co = 36.26.

Infrared spectra were recorded in carbon disulphide solution for all seven complexes. The positional and intensity patterns of carbonyl stretching frequencies are characteristic of these complexes and can be readily distinguished from those of the $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ precursor. The infrared spectra for both the $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ and the product complexes are shown, for the 1800 to 2100 cm^{-1} region, in Figure V-B-1. Absorptions for the various complexes are listed in Table V-B-4.

Attempts were made to synthesize other (arene) $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ complexes. The experimental procedures were the same as those described for the seven arene complexes discussed above. For aniline, trihydroxybenzene and trinitrobenzene, no product was observed. Trace amounts of green product were observed for the toluene and *o*-trifluorotoluene reactions. The *p*-xylene complex was formed.

Figure V-B-1. Infrared spectra ($1800-2100\text{ cm}^{-1}$) of tetracobaltdodecacarbonyl and (arene)enneacarbonyltetracobalt(0) in carbon disulphide solution.



in 37% yield with $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ and the hexaethylbenzene-
enneacarbonyltetracobalt(0) compound was formed in even
higher yield. Physical data on these compounds were not
recorded. Dicobaltoctacarbonyl was dissolved in benzo-
nitrile and the solution was heated to 130°C and stirred for
68 hours at this temperature. Two products were obtained.
The first was isolated upon heating the solution to remove
the excess benzonitrile. It was a green solid insoluble
in most common solvents. The second product, a red
insoluble solid, was obtained upon cooling the benzonitrile
solution. It was assumed both products were polymeric.

6. The Crystal and Molecular Structure of the Disordered
Xyleneenneacarbonyltetracobalt(0) Complex

Recrystallization of the olive-green solid from
hexane gave rhombohedral-like crystals. A crystal approx-
imately $0.2 \times 0.2 \times 0.2$ mm was mounted on a eucentric head
and Weissenberg photography was initiated. The oscillation
photographs displayed the absence of any symmetry. The zero
level Weissenberg showed what appeared to be two identical
axes separated by approximately 94° . These were labelled
 a^* and b^* , the rotation axis arbitrarily assigned as c .
There was no 'right-left' symmetry about the axes.

Zero level precession zones were obtained for both the a^*c^* zone and the b^*c^* zone. The intensity pattern and spacing for all three reciprocal axes were identical from a scrutiny of these zero level photographs. No extra symmetry conditions were implied by the first level precession zones so the space group was assigned as R3 (No. 146) or $R\bar{3}$ (No. 148). The precession photographs were measured and $y_a = y_b = y_c = 4.25$ mm. The angle was measured as 94° . By application of Equation II-B-1, the reciprocal axis length was computed as 0.09957 \AA^{-1} . Reducing the triclinic relationships to Equations V-B-1 and V-B-2, the direct cell axis length was computed to be 10.096 \AA and the direct cell angle was 85.7° .

$$a = \frac{\sin \alpha^*}{a^* \sqrt{1 - 3\cos^2 \alpha^* + 2\cos^3 \alpha^*}} \quad \text{V-B-1}$$

$$\cos \alpha = \frac{\cos^2 \alpha^* - \cos \alpha^*}{\sin^2 \alpha^*} \quad \text{V-B-2}$$

The goniometer head was mounted on the diffractometer and the (2,0,0) and the (0,2,0) reflections were located and centered. These two reflections plus the approximate unit cell constants determined from the photographs were used to calculate an orientation matrix that successfully predicted the position of the third reciprocal axis reflection (0,0,2). Since the intensities of all

diffraction spots on all three axes were identical, care was exercised to ensure that the correct axes were chosen. Relative intensities of planes not on the axes were compared to ensure the correct identification of the reflections centered and used in the least squares refinement of the cell constants in the rhombohedral setting. These were the (5,0,0), (-5,0,0), (0,5,0), (0,-5,0), (0,0,5), (0,0,-5), (4,-3,0), (-4,3,0), (3,0,-4), (-3,0,4), (1,4,-2) and (-1,-4,2) reflections. The cell constants for the rhombohedral cell after two cycles of refinement were $a = 10.046 \pm 0.005 \text{ \AA}$ and $c = 85.45 \pm 0.02^\circ$. The unit cell volume is thus $1004. \text{ \AA}^3$. The observed density of 1.87 g cm^{-3} , measured by flotation in zinc iodide aqueous solution, indicated two molecules per unit cell. The space group $R\bar{3}$ was chosen to describe the correct cell symmetry and the molecular volume was predicted to be $502. \text{ \AA}^3$. The calculated density ($Z = 2$, $P.W. = 593.6$, $V = 1004. \text{ \AA}^3$) was 1.96 g cm^{-3} .

It was deemed convenient to use a hexagonal setting for data collection. The conversion from rhombohedral (rhom) indexing to hexagonal (hex) indexing³⁹¹ is given by V-B-3. The indices of the three rhombohedral axes reflections used to define the cell were converted and used with their refined 2θ , ω , χ and ϕ angles to give a new orientation matrix with the hexagonal cell constants. A least squares refinement of the hexagonally-indexed reflections gave $a_{\text{hex}} = b_{\text{hex}} = 13.633 \pm 0.007$ and $c_{\text{hex}} = 18.73 \pm 0.01 \text{ \AA}$.

$$h_{\text{hex}} = h_{\text{rhom}} - k_{\text{rhom}}$$

$$k_{\text{hex}} = k_{\text{rhom}} - l_{\text{rhom}} \quad \text{V-B-3}$$

$$l_{\text{hex}} = h_{\text{rhom}} + k_{\text{rhom}} + l_{\text{rhom}}$$

Data collection was started in the hexagonal setting. It became apparent that changes were occurring in the crystal when symmetry-related reflections were found to differ significantly in intensity when checked. The reason for the verification was a broadening of the diffraction peaks and the rather large decrease in the intensity of the three check reflections. A scan of the three rhombohedral axes at this point showed that the c^*_{rhom} axis reflections were consistently lower than those on the other two axes (Table V-B-5). At this point, it was thought advisable to re-examine the crystal by Weissenberg photography. The rhombohedral a^*b^* zone was still present but the diffraction spots were very diffuse. The a^* axis, from the diffractometer scan, certainly was no longer the same.

The original sample of crystals was searched for another rhombohedral crystal but to no avail. All crystals examined were monoclinic, even those obtained from subsequent recrystallisations. It was decided to discontinue the investigation of the rhombohedral form and use the persistent monoclinic crystals.

TABLE V-B-5

THE COUNTING PARAMETERS FOR SOME RHOMBOHEDRALLY-RELATED AXES
REFLECTIONS IN THE XYLENEBISACETONYLTETRACOBALT(0) STRUCTURE

Rhombohedral Indices	Background		Scanning Time(sec)	Uncorrected Count	Corrected Count
	Low	High			
2 0 0	77	137	152.80	1658	840
0 2 0	93	187	152.58	1928	860
0 0 2	48	75	152.76	713	243
3 0 0	127	69	154.61	1018	261
0 3 0	142	86	154.61	1148	267
0 0 3	61	34	154.61	435	68
4 0 0	46	43	155.77	414	67
0 4 0	63	58	155.65	551	80
0 0 4	28	22	155.57	232	38
5 0 0	40	39	157.47	519	208
0 5 0	56	54	157.45	639	206
0 0 5	25	22	157.69	242	56
6 0 0	31	29	158.54	278	40
0 6 0	41	36	158.76	355	49
0 0 6	19	16	158.57	145	6
7 0 0	25	26	160.56	213	8
0 7 0	38	31	160.55	286	9
0 0 7	16	15	160.43	123	0

A brick-shaped crystal, approximately 0.1 x 0.2 x 0.1 mm in size, was mounted on a eucentric goniometer head along its longest dimension. Oscillation photographs showed *mm* symmetry and a zero level Weissenberg gave a representation of the monoclinic a^*c^* zone. An upper level Weissenberg revealed the c glide plane perpendicular to b . Precession zones a^*b^* and b^*c^* confirmed the space group as $P2_1/c$ (No. 14) with the use of arguments identical to those provided in Section III-B of this Thesis. It was noted that the β^* angle (85.4° by azimuthal angle setting difference) was similar to the rhombohedral cell angle. A striking similarity also existed between the $h0l$ monoclinic zone and the $hk0$, $h0l$ and $0kl$ zones of the rhombohedral.

The values of y_a , y_b and y_c from precession zone measurements were 4.29, 4.32 and 2.11 mm respectively. The β^* angle was 85.4° . Conversions to reciprocal cell dimensions by Equation II-B-1 and application of reciprocal-to-real-cell relationships¹²⁴ gave the following approximate cell constants: $a = 9.97$, $b = 9.87$, $c = 20.27\text{\AA}$, $\beta = 94.5^\circ$. The density was measured by flotation in aqueous zinc iodide solution. A value of $1.87(2)\text{ g cm}^{-3}$ was obtained which indicated that there were four molecules in the unit cell ($Z = 4$, $P.W. = 593.6$, $V = 1990.6\text{\AA}^3$; $\rho_{\text{calc}} = 1.98\text{ g cm}^{-3}$).

The goniometer head was mounted on the diffractometer and the $(2,0,0)$ and the $(0,0,3)$ reflections were located

and centered. With the raw cell parameters, a rough orientation matrix was calculated and the (0,2,0) reflection was found and centered. The twelve reflections centered at plus and minus 2 θ were the (5,0,0), (-5,0,0), (0,4,0), (0,-4,0), (0,0,10), (0,0,-10), (0,6,9), (0,-3,-8), (0,3,-8), (0,-3,8), (4,0,6) and (-4,0,-6). Two cycles of least squares refinement gave the following accurate cell parameters: $a = 10.03 \pm 0.01$, $b = 9.86 \pm 0.01$, $c = 20.24 \pm 0.02$ Å, $\beta = 96.40(5)^\circ$. The unit cell volume was calculated to be 1990.6 Å³ and this gives a molecular volume of 497.7 Å³.

Data collection was initiated using the parameters listed in Table V-B-6. The quarter sphere collected was that bounded by positive h and positive k . The l index was allowed to vary from -21 to +21. There were exactly 3000 reflections collected. Of these, 1822 were accepted, 819 were less than 3σ and 359 were considered absent. A reject routine eliminating systematically-absent reflections along with reflections of negative l on the $0kl$ zone was used. Absorption corrections were not applied ($\mu = 34.29 \text{ cm}^{-1}$).

The structure was solved using the direct method. *NORMA* was used to compute normalized structure factors F_{hkl} . The value of c was set to 1 for all reflections except those on the $0kl$ zone and on the $0k0$ axis where it was 2. There were 1822 reflections processed, 669

TABLE V-B-6

DATA COLLECTION PARAMETERS FOR
XYLENEENNEACARBONYLTETRACOBALT (0)

Radiation used:	Mo K_{α} ($\lambda = 0.71069 \text{\AA}$)
Pulse height analyzer	100%
Upper level	6.50
Lower level	2.50
Attenuators	Not Used
Space group routine used:	P2 ₁ /c
maximum h: 10	minimum h: 0
maximum k: 10	minimum k: 0
maximum l: 21	minimum l: -21
maximum 2θ : 45.0°	minimum 2θ : 4.0°
Standards used (hkl)	(0,1,2) (5,0,0)
Value and variation	66500 \pm 12% 2300 \pm 13%
Interval	every 30° reflections
Background	40 second counts
Base length of scan	2.5°
Total number of reflections collected:	3000

having E_{hkl} greater than 1.0, 44 having E_{hkl} greater than 2.0 and 3 with E_{hkl} greater than 3.0.

Two hundred reflections (with an E_{hkl} value greater than 1.50) were used by REL. The triples were signed in the order of their decreasing E_{hkl} magnitudes. The signs were treated according to the NBACK = 1 option first and according to the NBACK = 0 option for the second pass. The same treatment of the origin-determining reflection parities was used as for tris(hexacarbonyl-dicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine (Chapter III, Section B, Part 3). The value of PROBK was 0.08 and PROB1 and PROB2 were set to 0.90 and 0.70 respectively. The starting set included the seven reflections listed in Table V-B-7 with their E_{hkl} phased according to the correct solution.

Four of the sixteen phased starting sets gave the same solution in three cycles. The consistency index was 0.99 for all correct solutions, the next highest being 0.80. There were 92 pluses and 108 minuses for the 200 reflections in the correct solution. One of the starting sets predicted the change of two reflection signs in order to arrive at the correct solution. The other two predicted the change of one sign only.

An E-map was computed using the 200 phased reflections from REL. Electron density in one-half

TABLE V-B-7

THE STARTING SET FOR THE SUCCESSFUL REL SOLUTION OF
XYLENEENNEACARBONYLTETRACOBALT (0)

h	k	l	E_{hkl}
2	4	1	3.15
0	1	2	3.08
1	1	0	2.93
0	1	-2	-3.04
5	2	6	-2.66
0	8	9	2.66
2	5	3	2.64

the unit cell was computed (0 to 1 in x , 0 to 1 in y and 0 to $\frac{1}{2}$ in z) to one-third angström resolution. From this map, four cobalt atom positions were found and a structure factor list was calculated. The scale factor used was 0.97. For 1822 reflections, the discrepancy index was 44%.

An observed Fourier based on this structure factor calculation gave the positions of all atoms except the methyl groups on the benzenoid ring system. A structure factor calculation based on the positions of these atoms for 1822 reflections gave a residual index of 34.8%. Isotropic least squares refinement was initiated with temperature factors of 3.0 for cobalt atoms, 3.5 for carbons and 4.5 for oxygens. The results of the least squares cycles are summarized in Table V-B-8. The total number of parameters for isotropic refinement of all atoms except the methyl carbons was 113 and these were all in a single matrix.

After the third isotropic cycle, a difference Fourier was calculated ($R_{max} = 3.20$). Three peaks were observed near adjacent benzenoid carbon atoms. One of the peaks had a normalized electron density of 999 whereas the other two had map maxima of 520 and 410. Although this was not indicated, occupancy factors of 0.5 were introduced for all three peaks. A cycle of refinement (ISO 4) of only the cobalt atoms and the three new peaks (positions, thermal

TABLE V-B-8

STRUCTURE FACTOR INFORMATION FOR XYLENEENNECARBONYLTETRACOBALT (0)^a

BEFORE REFINE- MENT	ISO(1)	ISO(2)	ISO(4)	ANISO (1)	ANISO (2)	ANISO (3)	ANISO (4)
Scale Factor	0.7543	0.7589	0.7614	0.7731	0.7764	0.7754	0.7779
Number of Matrices	1	1	1	2	1	2	2
Total # of parameters	113	113	32 ^b	268	64 ^b	265	
Number of reflections	1883	1883	1883	1883	1883	1843 ^c	
"Goodness of fit"	12.546	4.857	2.997	2.315	1.555	1.397	1.397
R	34.8	17.6	11.0	9.1	5.9	5.6	5.6
R(with rejects out)	34.8	17.6	11.0	9.1	5.9	5.6	5.3
R _w	35.2	18.5	11.4	9.0	5.7	5.4	5.4
R _w (with rejects out)	35.2	18.5	11.4	9.0	5.7	5.4	5.2

^a The structure factor calculation data listed is for that run immediately AFTER the least squares refinement cycle heading the column. The 3rd ISO cycle is omitted.

^b Only the four cobalt atoms and the substituent carbons were refined.

^c A reject routine was introduced at this point. Rejected if $(|F_{\text{obs}} - F_{\text{cal}}|)/F_{\text{obs}}$ was greater than 0.50.

parameter and occupancy factor) was undertaken. The other atoms were included in the input but not refined. The occupancy factor for the first peak refined to 0.98, the other two being 0.53 and 0.58. At this point, evidence seemed to indicate the probability that the arene was a mixture of *ortho*- and *meta*-xylene in equal proportions. One of the three substituent crystallographic sites (labelled atom C7) was common to both isomers. For the several cycles the occupancy factors were allowed to vary, they remained in the ratio 1:0.5:0.5 within 5 to 10%. The half-occupancy atoms C8 and C9 were refined isotropically only whereas anisotropic refinement was effected for C7. After ANISO 2 the occupancy factors were set at 1.0, 0.5 and 0.5 respectively and they were no longer refined.

Anomalous dispersion corrections were not applied to this solution. Since more than one matrix was used for anisotropic refinement, the parameters were moved from one matrix to another to ensure some correlation. Anisotropic convergence gave a discrepancy factor of 5.6% and a weighted discrepancy factor of 5.4%. A final difference Fourier ($R_{max} = 3.20$) was calculated and the highest peak was 0.6 eÅ^{-3} . The positions of the three hydrogen atoms on the three non-substituted carbon atoms of the ring were calculated and used in structure factor calculations. They were not found on the difference Fourier map nor were they ever refined.

In almost all cases, the shifts in the 265 refined parameters were two to three times smaller than their estimated standard deviations. A list of observed and calculated structure factors can be found in Appendix D (page 394) of this Thesis. Some weak reflections ($F = 3\sigma(F)$) for which $(|F_{\text{obs}} - F_{\text{cal}}|/F_{\text{obs}})$ was greater than 0.5 are not listed because they were not used in least squares refinement. The final refined positional and thermal parameters for the mixed complex can be found in Appendix D.

7. The Crystal and Molecular Structure of Benzeneeneacarbonyltetracobalt(0)

A sample of the fine fluffy needles of benzeneeneacarbonyltetracobalt(0) was dissolved in hexane and recrystallized to give rhombohedral-like crystals. A parallelepiped with approximate dimensions 0.1 x 0.1 x 0.1 mm was mounted on a eucentric head. No symmetry was observed on the oscillation photograph. The zero level Weissenberg showed two distinct axes about which there was no symmetry. The intensity patterns on the two axes (labelled a^* and b^*) were apparently identical. The a^*c^* precession zone indicated the third axis c^* was the same as the other two.

The reciprocal cell spacings were identical for the three dimensions and the space group was assigned as $R\bar{3}$ (No. 146) or $R\bar{3}$ (No. 148). The axis spacing was measured to be 4.43 mm and the α^* angle was 96.2° . The reciprocal cell dimension a^* was calculated (using Equation II-B-1) to be $0.103^{+0.001} \text{ \AA}^{-1}$. Thus a and α were found (by Equations V-B-1 and V-B-2) to be 9.76 \AA and 83° , respectively.

The goniometer head was transferred to the diffractometer and the (5,0,0) and (0,5,0) reflections were found and centered. Assuring a right-handed set of axes, the (0,0,5) reflection was located and centered. An orientation matrix was determined for the diffraction planes. Twelve reflections were centered at plus and minus 2θ and the results were averaged for each reflection. They were the (0,6,5), (0,-6,-5), (0,-6,5), (0,6,-5), (5,0,6), (-5,0,-6), (6,5,0), (-6,-5,0), (5,0,0), (0,5,0), (0,0,5) and (0,0,-5) reflections. After two cycles of refinement, a was found to be $9.798 \pm 0.003 \text{ \AA}$ and $\alpha = 82.95 \pm 0.01^\circ$. The unit cell volume was thus $920. \text{ \AA}^3$. The observed density measured by flotation in zinc iodide aqueous solution, was 1.98 g cm^{-3} . This implied two molecules in the unit cell and thus space group $R\bar{3}$ (No. 148). The calculated density ($Z = 2$, $P.W. = 565.8 \text{ amu}$, $V = 920. \text{ \AA}^3$) is 2.040 g cm^{-3} . The molecular volume is $460. \text{ \AA}^3$.

It was convenient to collect the data using the hexagonal setting of the rhombohedral cell. The conversion from rhombohedral to hexagonal indexing is given in Equation V-B-3. The conversion of the rhombohedral (5,0,0), (0,5,0) and (0,0,5) indices to the hexagonal (5,0,5), (-5,5,5) and (0,-5,5) indices permitted the calculation (by the Picker Nuclear computer programs) of a hexagonal orientation matrix. The hexagonal unit cell was $a_{\text{hex}} = b_{\text{hex}} = 12.97$, $c_{\text{hex}} = 18.94 \text{ \AA}$. Because of the small size of the crystal and a desire for increased accuracy the data were collected in a full hemisphere (positive 2θ). Only reflections for which $-h + k + l = 3n$ were collected.³⁹² The data collection parameters are given in Table V-B-9. There were 2693 reflections collected of which 1964 were accepted, 573 were less than 3σ and 156 were considered absent. Absorption corrections were not applied ($\mu = 37.03 \text{ cm}^{-1}$).

The indices were transformed back from hexagonal to rhombohedral before the structure was solved or refined. The transformations were as described in Equation V-B-4 where hex abbreviates hexagonal and rhom abbreviates rhombohedral.

$$\begin{aligned} h_{\text{rhom}} &= (2h_{\text{hex}} + k_{\text{hex}} + l_{\text{hex}})/3 \\ k_{\text{rhom}} &= (-h_{\text{hex}} + k_{\text{hex}} + l_{\text{hex}})/3 \\ l_{\text{rhom}} &= (-h_{\text{hex}} - 2k_{\text{hex}} + l_{\text{hex}})/3 \end{aligned} \quad \text{V-B-4}$$

TABLE V-B-9

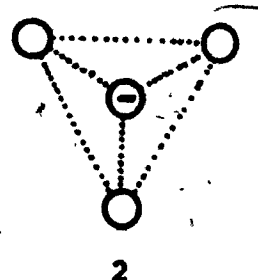
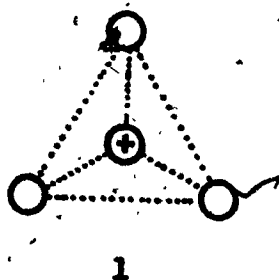
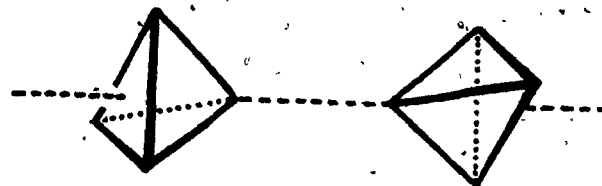
DATA COLLECTION PARAMETERS FOR
BENZENEKENEACARBONYLTETRACOBALT(0)

Radiation used:	Mo K _α ($\lambda = 0.71069\text{\AA}$)
Pulse height analyzer	100 %
Upper level	6.50
Lower level	2.50
Attenuators	Used
Space group routine used:	R $\bar{3}$ (hexagonal axes)
maximum h: 13	minimum h: 0
maximum k: 12	minimum k: -13
maximum l: 20	minimum l: -20
maximum 2 θ : 45.0°	minimum 2 θ : 4.0°
Standard used (hkl)	(0,1,2)
Value and variation	15500 \pm 8%
Interval	every 30 reflections
Background	40 second counts
Base length of scan	2.0°
Total number of reflections collected:	2693

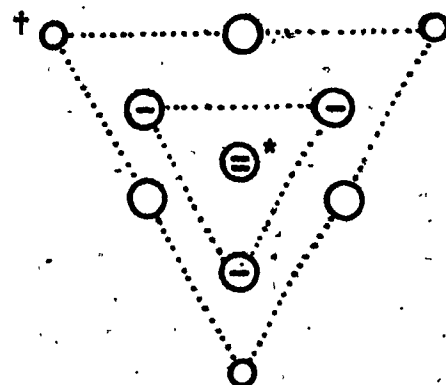
The phase problem was solved by the "image seeking" method. A sharpened Patterson synthesis was calculated for the whole cell using 0.6 angström resolution. A distinct pattern of peaks was observed about the origin and in the center of the cell about the threefold axis. The two tetrahedra of cobalt atoms along the threefold axis in $R\bar{3}$ are related by a center of inversion and thus the clusters must be as represented in Figure V-B-2. The pattern of peaks at the origin in the Patterson represents intramolecular vectors (or vectors between identically-oriented molecules). If each atom of cluster 1 is in turn placed on the origin, the pattern shown for the peaks about the Patterson origin is as shown in Figure V-B-2. The sizes of the circles represent the multiplicity of the peaks whereas the sign indicates whether the peak is above or below the plane of the unsigned peaks. The pattern created by cluster 2 reinforces that from cluster 1.

The peaks due to the heavy atoms which are seen in the center of the Patterson map are due to the vectors between cluster 1 and cluster 2. Figure V-B-2 gives the theoretical pattern for 2:1 and 1:2 vectors. These two series of triangles are intermeshed but do not exactly coincide since the centroids of the tetrahedra in the real cell are not exactly at 0.25 and 0.75 of the threefold axis length. The peak marked * was chosen as the $2s_1, 2y_1, 2s_1$ peak corresponding to the cobalt atom on

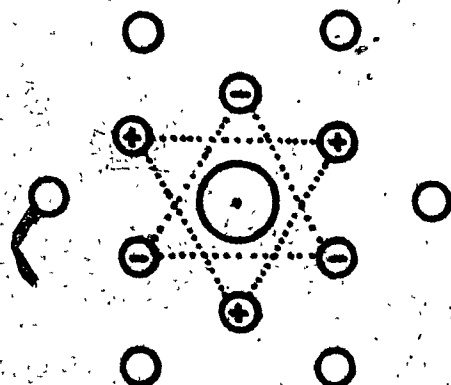
Figure V-B-2. Patterson peaks for the vectors between cobalt atoms in benzeneeneacarbonyltetra-cobalt(0).



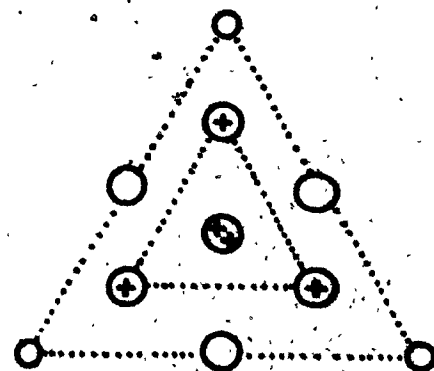
The two tetrahedra



Patterson peaks for
inter-cluster vectors



Patterson peaks for
intra-cluster vectors



the threefold axis whereas that marked † was taken as the $2x_2, 2y_2, 2z_2$ peak of the other cobalt atoms ($2y_2, 2z_2, 2x_2$ and $2z_2, 2x_2, 2y_2$ derived therefrom). In such a manner, cobalt atoms at $2x_1 = 2y_1 = 2z_1 = 0.385$ or $0.192, 0.192, 0.192$ and $2x_2 = 0.630, 2y_2 = 0.385, 2z_2 = 0.798$ or $0.315, 0.192, 0.399$ were found.

A structure factor calculation based on the two cobalt atom positions was carried out. The discrepancy factor was 33.9% and the weighted discrepancy factor was 36.8%. An observed Fourier was calculated based on this model. One-third angström resolution showed all the atoms in the molecule and their positions were recorded. With all the atoms included, the residual index was 28.6% for the first complete structure factor calculation. Isotropic thermal parameters B were initiated at 2.5 for cobalt atoms, 4.0 for carbon atoms and 5.0 for the carbonyl oxygens. These were allowed to refine along with the positional parameters. After three isotropic refinement cycles, convergence gave a residual index of 8.5% whereas the weighted residual index was 8.0%. All the parameters seemed well-behaved. A summary of the progress of least squares refinement can be found in Table V-B-10.

Before continuing with anisotropic refinement, it was deemed wise to merge the data since redundant reflections had been collected. A computer program was written

TABLE V-B-10

STRUCTURE FACTOR INFORMATION FOR BENZENENEACARBONYLTETRACOBALT (0)^a

	BEFORE REFINE- MENT	ISO (1)	ISO (2)	ISO (3)	ANISO (1) ^b	ANISO (2)
Scale Factor	0.8100	0.8423	0.8615	0.8756	0.8710	0.8702
Number of Matrices		1	1	1	1	1
Total # of Parameters		39	39	39	85	85
Number of Reflections	1964	1964	1964	1964	491	491
"Goodness of fit"	7.420	2.579	2.533	2.540	1.462	1.245
R	28.6	10.8	10.6	8.5	3.4	3.3
R _w	30.2	10.5	10.3	8.0	3.2	3.0

^a The structure factor calculation data listed is for that run immediately AFTER the least squares-refinement cycle heading the column.

^b Results for the merged data (see text).

and the data were merged as follows. Reflections were read into an array bounded by maximum and minimum values of the observed h , k and l indices. The program then generated values of these indices (l changing most rapidly) in decreasing values of h , k and l and the array was searched for symmetry-related reflections (hkl , lkh , klh , $-h-k-l$, $-l-h-k$, $-k-l-h$). Those reflections that were present were averaged and labelled with the generated indices.

Anisotropic refinement converged in two cycles with 491 reflections and 85 refined parameters to a discrepancy factor of 3.0%. The 'goodness-of-fit' parameter was 1.245 and although a rejection criterion was introduced such that all reflections for which $(|F_{\text{obs}} - F_{\text{cal}}|/F_{\text{obs}})$ was greater than 0.5 should not be used in refinement, no reflections were so affected. Anomalous dispersion corrections were applied for the cobalt atoms ($\Delta f' = 0.4$, $\Delta f'' = 1.1$).

Appendix E contains a list of observed and calculated structure factors for the 491 reflections used in the refinement. Also listed are the positional parameters and the thermal parameters for the 12 unique atoms. The hydrogen atom positions were calculated and used in the structure factor calculations although they were not found

on the final difference Fourier map (maximum peak of $0.6 \Delta eA^{-3}$).

SECTION C. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

1. Non-crystallographic

The synthesis of the first π arene-enneacarbonyl-tetracobalt(0) to take place in this laboratory was purely accidental. From a scientific point of view, this fact is difficult to concede. However, from a pedagogical viewpoint, the experience has been very enriching. Repeating a routine reported procedure for the preparation of π -ditertiarybutylacetylenehexacarbonyldicobalt from dicobaltoctacarbonyl and ditertiarybutylacetylene, an additional step was taken; the reaction mixture, after reaction had occurred, was concentrated and chromatographed on a silica gel column.

The large red product band was eluted first. This was the only band expected but a second olive-green much smaller one remained on the column. There was a hope that this might turn out to be an intermediate in the cyclic trimerization of substituted acetylene (see Section A, Part 4) since the literature report being repeated eventually led to the preparation of 1,2,4-tritertiarybutylbenzene.

The olive-green complex was finally identified as xyleneenneacarbonyltetracobalt(0). The chemical origin of the xylene was then investigated. After breaking just

about every chemical rule to attempt a rationalization of the mechanism of formation of xylene from ditertiarybutylacetylene, it was decided to investigate the experimental parameters. Hexane (supplied by ANACHEMIA and a product of their solvent extraction process) was used for this reaction. It had been previously dried and distilled before use but a considerable quantity of xylene remained present as an impurity. Although this was not proven directly, when the reaction sequence was repeated using this hexane treated to destroy all aromatic impurities, no olive-green product was recovered. The ditertiarybutylacetylene was not involved in the formation of the xylene complex since, when $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$ was heated in the untreated hexane, the olive-green product was again present.

The mass spectrum of xyleneneenneacarbonyltetracobalt(0) shows two principal peaks just as does the spectrum of pure xylene (whether it be *ortho*-, *meta*- or *para*-).³⁹³ This is not altogether surprising since one would intuitively expect the π bonded xylene moiety to separate very readily (m/e 106; $\text{C}_8\text{H}_{10}^+$) from the rest of the molecule. The second peak at m/e 91 probably results from the loss of one CH_3 resulting in the species C_7H_7^+ .

Other π arene complexes were synthesized using tetracobaltdodecacarbonyl ($\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$) as a precursor. Although most of the complexes synthesized have been previously reported, hexafluorobenzene- and hexachlorobenzeneennea-

carbonyltetracobalt(0) are novel. If the percentage yields of these reactions with various arenes are examined, it is noted that the yield increases with increasing electron donating ability of the arene. Thus, the halogen-substituted benzene complexes (especially fluorine which is very electronegative) are produced in low yield. As a greater number of methyl groups are substituted onto the ring, the electron donating ability of the arene increases and so does the yield. The yields of the complexes are in the arene order hexamethylbenzene (89.2%) > mesitylene (78.9%) > xylene (average 44.2%) > benzene (38.6%) > hexachlorobenzene (31.4%) > hexafluorobenzene (3.1%). The actual percentage yields should not be quantitatively compared but, from a qualitative point of view, the evidence seems sound.

The electron releasing ability of the arene is also reflected in the decomposition ranges for the complexes which vary from 143-145° for the perfluorobenzene complex to 162-165° for the hexamethylbenzene complex. Decomposition occurred first with liberation of the free arene and sublimation of $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ crystals. A cobalt metallic mirror and a black powder remained in the capillary tube after decomposition. Since decomposition temperature here reflects the strength of the cobalt-arene bond(s), the observed trends are expected.

The arene complexes were also synthesized thermally from $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$. However, the reaction was allowed to

proceed for 36 hours rather than 26 hours for the reactions with $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ precursors. It surely must be a reflection on the lack of thoroughness of past chemical practice that π -areneenneacarbonyltetracobalt(0) complexes were only first reported in late 1971.³⁸⁷ With benzene as such a common solvent and with so many attempted reactions of $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$, simple chromatographic practice should have led to the discovery of $(\text{C}_6\text{H}_6)\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$. It might also be a reflection on the degree of reactivity of $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$ with most ligands used that such a complex was never isolated.

It is interesting to note that the percentage yields of the various π -areneenneacarbonyltetracobalt complexes are essentially the same, regardless of the precursor ($\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$: Table V-B-3 and $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$: Table V-B-4). This, coupled with the fact that $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ is recovered from the $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$ reactions, implies that the formation of the arene complex from $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$ is likely to involve $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ as an intermediate. This last species might subsequently lose 3 carbonyl ligands which are replaced by the arene as in a proposed reaction sequence involving $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ as a starting material. The formation of $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ from $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_8$ has been described by Ungváry and Markó²⁶ and is believed to proceed via a $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_6$ intermediate.

The π -areneenneacarbonyltetracobalt complexes all display similar carbonyl stretching bands in the infrared

(see Figure V-B-1). These bands are so characteristic that full chemical analyses were deemed unnecessary for every (arene) $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ complex synthesized. Only the benzene and hexamethylbenzene complexes were subjected to chemical analysis. The four terminal carbonyl bands are listed in Table V-B-5 for the seven complexes reported. Not only are the terminal carbonyl frequencies shifted from their values in $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ but a change of approximately 40 cm^{-1} exists between the parent $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ and the arene complex in the bridging carbonyl stretching frequency.

The difference between $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ and (arene) $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ lies in the substituents on the apical cobalt atom. In the former complex, three carbonyl ligands are present whereas in the latter, these carbonyls are replaced by an arene. Since the three carbonyls are more electron withdrawing (better π acceptors) than the arene, electron density is pulled from the cobalt-carbon (bridging carbonyl) bond. This decreases the extent of back donation from the metal into the π^* orbital of the carbon and thus increases the strength of the C-O bridging carbonyl bond as compared to (arene) $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$. This explains why the stretching frequency mainly associated with this bond is at 1860 cm^{-1} for $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ and at approximately 1820 cm^{-1} for the (arene) $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ complex.

It would have been informative to study the

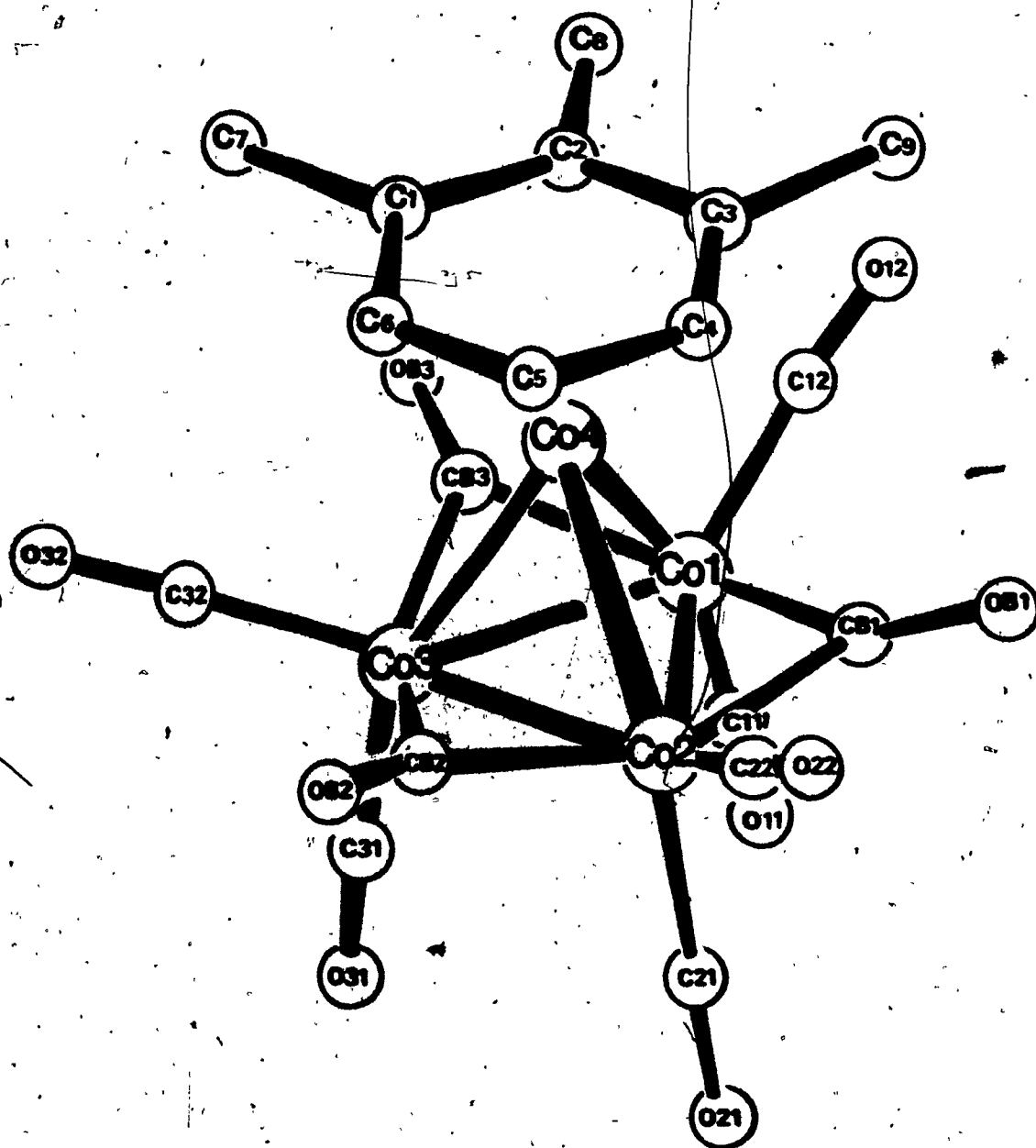
precise terminal and bridging carbonyl frequencies for all the arene $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ complexes in order to attempt a correlation between the electron releasing nature of the arene substituents and the carbonyl stretching frequencies. This type of study has been accomplished for $\text{PhCCo}_3(\text{CO})_6(\text{arene})$ ³⁷⁰ (see Table V-A-4) with the expected result that the more electron releasing the substituent, the lower the stretching frequency in the infrared.

2. The crystal and Molecular Structure of the Disordered *ortho*- and *meta*-xyleneenneacarbonyltetracobalt Complex

The crystal structure shows discrete molecules of xyleneenneacarbonyltetracobalt as described in Figure V-C-1. The structure can be considered derived from the $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ structure (Figure I-2) by replacement of the three terminal carbonyls on the apical cobalt atom of the tetrahedron of cobalt atoms by a π bonded arene. The three basal cobalt atoms are bonded just as in $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$: three equivalent $\text{Co}(\text{CO})_2$ groups bonded by both Co-Co bonds and single bridging carbonyl ligands. There appears to be no significant deviation from three-fold symmetry of the $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ entity.

The xylene moiety is a 1:1 mixture of *o*-xylene and *m*-xylene in which one crystallographic site is occupied by methyl groups of both isomers whereas the other two

Figure V-C-1. The molecular configuration for xyleneeneacarbonyltetracobalt. The numbering scheme is the same for benzeneeneacarbonyltetracobalt.



crystallographic sites exhibit half occupancy. When the packing forces are described, an explanation of the mixed crystal character will be attempted. The full occupancy methyl carbon peak was refined anisotropically but the half carbon atoms were not so refined. The crystallographic positions of the disordered groups are not very precise but they have been included in the tables describing the geometry of the molecule.

The bond lengths in the xyleneenneacarbonyl-tetracobalt(0) complex as determined by this X-ray crystallographic study are given in Table V-C-1. The angles between these bonds are shown in Table V-C-2. The numbering scheme used is that shown in Figure V-C-1. This view of the molecule is down the *c* axis of the monoclinic cell. The average basal-to-apical cobalt atom distance is 2.480(6) Å whereas the average basal Co-Co distance is 2.454(2) Å. Although this difference is small, it could be ascribed to the presence of bridging carbonyl ligands in the latter case but not in the former. Differences of this type are usually larger (0.06 - 0.10 Å) as reported by Chini,²⁴ but in $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ they were found to be statistically non-valid. It should be pointed out that this last structure is very badly disordered so that differences of this type might remain undetected.

The Co-Co distances are not at all unusual, falling as they do within the range found for the Co-Co

TABLE V-C-1

BOND LENGTHS (Å) IN XYLENEENNEACARBONYLTETRACOBALT

Co1-Co4: 2.491(2)	Co2-Co4: 2.477(2)	Co3-Co4: 2.472(2)
Co1-Co2: 2.456(2)	Co2-Co3: 2.451(2)	Co3-Co1: 2.456(2)
Co1-C11: 1.772(13)	Co2-C21: 1.774(11)	Co3-C31: 1.783(12)
Co1-C12: 1.794(12)	Co2-C22: 1.800(13)	Co3-C32: 1.763(13)
Co1-CB3: 1.938(12)	Co2-CB1: 1.946(11)	Co3-CB2: 1.949(11)
Co1-CB1: 1.865(12)	Co2-CB2: 1.911(10)	Co3-CB3: 1.926(12)
C11-O11: 1.154(17)	C21-O21: 1.152(14)	C31-O31: 1.150(16)
C12-O12: 1.134(14)	C22-O22: 1.122(16)	C32-O32: 1.155(16)
CB1-OB1: 1.194(15)	CB2-OB2: 1.178(12)	CB3-OB3: 1.161(16)
Co4-C1 : 2.195(11)	Co4-C3 : 2.141(13)	Co4-C5 : 2.178(14)
Co4-C2 : 2.132(12)	Co4-C4 : 2.147(15)	Co4-C6 : 2.171(12)
C1 -C2 : 1.436(17)	C3 -C4 : 1.373(21)	C5 -C6 : 1.391(19)
C2 -C3 : 1.452(21)	C4 -C5 : 1.413(22)	C6 -C1 : 1.402(18)
C1 -C7 : 1.533(20)	C2 -C8 : 1.377(37)	C3 -C9 : 1.477(44)

TABLE V-C-2
BOND ANGLES (°) IN XYLENEBISNEACARBONYLTETRACOBALT (0)

Co1-Co4-Co2:	59.27(5)	Co2-Co4-Co3:	59.38(5)	Co3-Co4-Co1:	59.33(5)
Co4-Co1-Co2:	60.08(5)	Co4-Co2-Co3:	60.22(5)	Co4-Co3-Co1:	60.71(5)
Co4-Co1-Co3:	59.96(5)	Co4-Co2-Co1:	60.65(5)	Co4-Co3-Co2:	60.40(5)
Co4-Co1-CB3:	73.3(4)	Co4-Co2-CB1:	78.0(4)	Co4-Co3-CB2:	73.9(4)
Co4-Co1-C12:	99.2(4)	Co4-Co2-C22:	97.9(4)	Co4-Co3-C32:	101.9(4)
Co4-Co1-CB1:	79.1(4)	Co4-Co2-CB2:	74.4(3)	Co4-Co3-CB3:	74.0(4)
Co4-Co1-C11:	162.8(4)	Co4-Co2-C21:	161.6(4)	Co4-Co3-C31:	158.7(4)
Co3-Co1-CB3:	50.3(4)	Co1-Co2-CB1:	48.4(3)	Co2-Co3-CB2:	49.9(3)
Co3-Co1-C12:	141.4(4)	Co1-Co2-C22:	138.4(4)	Co2-Co3-C32:	141.1(4)
Co3-Co1-CB1:	110.7(3)	Co1-Co2-CB2:	109.9(4)	Co2-Co3-CB3:	109.1(4)
Co3-Co1-Co2:	59.86(5)	Co1-Co2-Co3:	60.06(5)	Co2-Co3-Co1:	60.07(5)
CB3-Co1-C12:	94.3(5)	CB1-Co2-C22:	94.8(5)	CB2-Co3-C32:	93.3(5)
CB3-Co1-CB1:	152.0(5)	CB1-Co2-CB2:	151.6(5)	CB2-Co3-CB3:	147.7(5)
CB3-Co1-Co2:	108.5(4)	CB1-Co2-Co3:	108.0(4)	CB2-Co3-Co1:	108.5(4)

TABLE V-C-2 (CONT'D)

Cl2-Col-CB1:	94.7(5)	C22-Co2-CB2:	95.7(4)	C32-Co3-CB3:	96.6(5)
Cl2-Col-Co2:	140.9(4)	C22-Co2-Co3:	142.7(4)	C32-Co3-Col:	144.9(4)
CB1-Col-Co2:	51.3(3)	CB2-Co2-Co3:	51.3(3)	CB3-Co3-Col:	50.8(4)
Cl1-Col-Co3:	104.0(4)	C21-Co2-Col:	104.9(4)	C31-Co3-Co2:	101.3(4)
Cl1-Col-CB3:	102.0(5)	C21-Co2-CB1:	101.2(5)	C31-Co3-CB2:	103.4(5)
Cl1-Col-Cl2:	97.7(5)	C21-Co2-C22:	100.4(5)	C31-Co3-C32:	99.3(6)
Cl1-Col-CB1:	102.9(5)	C21-Co2-CB2:	102.7(5)	C31-Co3-CB3:	105.1(5)
Cl1-Col-Co2:	107.5(4)	C21-Co2-Co3:	103.5(4)	C31-Co3-Col:	101.7(4)
Col-Cl1-O11:	177(1)	Co2-C21-O21:	178(1)	Co3-C31-O31:	175(1)
Col-Cl2-O12:	179(1)	Co2-C22-O22:	178(1)	Co3-C32-O32:	176(1)
Col-CB3-OB3:	139(1)	Co2-CB1-OB1:	135(1)	Co3-CB2-OB2:	138(1)
Col-CB1-OB1:	144(1)	Co2-CB2-OB2:	143(1)	Co3-CB3-OB3:	142(1)
Col-CB1-Co2:	80.2(4)	Co2-CB2-Co3:	78.8(4)	Co3-CB3-Col:	78.9(5)

TABLE V-C-2 (CONT'D)

Co1-Co4-C1 :	131.6(4)	Co2-Co4-C1 :	159.9(3)	Co3-Co4-C1 :	108.8(3)
Co1-Co4-C2 :	109.2(4)	Co2-Co4-C2 :	161.4(3)	Co3-Co4-C2 :	130.1(1)
Co1-Co4-C3 :	109.6(4)	Co2-Co4-C3 :	126.5(4)	Co3-Co4-C3 :	164.5(4)
Co1-Co4-C4 :	128.4(4)	Co2-Co4-C4 :	104.5(4)	Co3-Co4-C4 :	157.8(4)
Co1-Co4-C5 :	160.0(4)	Co2-Co4-C5 :	105.5(4)	Co3-Co4-C5 :	126.7(4)
Co1-Co4-C6 :	161.8(3)	Co2-Co4-C6 :	126.3(3)	Co3-Co4-C6 :	106.8(3)
C6 -C1 -C2 :	120(1)	C2 -C3 -C4 :	121(1)	C4 -C5 -C6 :	121(1)
C1 -C2 -C3 :	118(1)	C3 -C4 -C5 :	119(2)	C5 -C6 -C1 :	120(1)
C6 -C1 -C7 :	121(1)	C1 -C2 -C8 :	122(2)	C2 -C3 -C9 :	113(2)
C2 -C1 -C7 :	119(1)	C3 -C2 -C8 :	120(2)	C4 -C3 -C9 :	126(2)

bond in various cobalt cluster complexes (2.43 - 2.64 Å).³⁹⁴ In xyleneenneacarbonyltetracobalt, the average C-O terminal carbonyl distance is 1.14³(0⁵) Å. The average C-O bridging carbonyl is longer (1.17³(0³) Å) although caution must be exercised in comparing carbonyl bond lengths. Both values are within the ranges quoted by Chini²⁴ (terminal: 1.12-1.19 Å, edge bridging: 1.165 - 1.20 Å). The average Co-C (bridging carbonyl) distance is 1.92³(1³) Å. The average Co-C (basal terminal carbonyl (C11,C21,C31)) is not significantly different from the average Co-C (equatorial terminal carbonyl (C12,C22,C32)) distance. Values of 1.77⁶(0³) and 1.78⁶(1¹) respectively are quite normal.

Although comparison with a disordered structure such as Co₄(CO)₁₂ is undoubtedly not valid, especially where carbonyl bond distances are concerned, comparison of certain average bond lengths is tempting. For Co₄(CO)₁₂, the average terminal C≡O and bridging C-O distances are 1.02 Å and 1.16 Å respectively and the average Co-C (terminal carbonyl) and Co-C (bridging carbonyl) bond lengths are 1.84 Å and 2.06 Å respectively. When compared to the related average distances in (xylene)Co₄(CO)₉, it is found that the C-O distances are shorter and the Co-C distances are longer in Co₄(CO)₁₂. Viewing the metal tetrahedron as a single metallic entity, the above trends can be explained in terms of the better π acceptor quality of three carbonyls (in Co₄(CO)₁₂) when compared to an arene. Less electronic charge is thus available for Co-C σ .

bonding (thus a longer bond). Since the C-O bond length partly depends upon the electronic charge available for back donation from the metal to the antibonding carbon orbital, the $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ C≡O bonds can be expected to be shorter. This is in point of fact observed although, as stated above, these conclusions should be viewed with considerable skepticism. Since the carbonyl carbon position is notoriously unreliable, and since it is used to calculate both Co-C and C-O distances from which these arguments are derived, one should be doubly cautious.

There are no outstanding anomalies in the bond angles for the complex. The average cobalt tetrahedron angle is 60.0° but the average Co-Co-Co angle at the apex of the tetrahedron is 0.6° smaller than that for metal angles about the base. This reflects the difference in the Co-Co bond lengths, the base-to-apex bonds being longer than those bonds between basal cobalts.

The Co-Co-C ring for the bridging carbonyl forms an angle of $13.7(5)^\circ$ with the basal Co-Co-Co ring. The carbon atom is at an average of 0.35\AA above the Co-Co-Co plane (toward the apical cobalt). The oxygen of the bridging carbonyl is in the plane of the Co-Co-C ring (within 2°). The bridging carbonyl Co-C-Co angle averages 79.1° which is at the extreme low end of the range of edge M-C-M angles quoted by Chini (79-87°).²⁴ The bridging carbonyl is only very slightly

disymmetric with Co1-CB3, Co3-CB2 and Co2-CB1 lengths averaging $1.94^{\circ}(0^3)\text{\AA}$ and Co1-CB1, Co2-CB2 and Co3-CB3 bond lengths averaging $1.90^{\circ}(1^6)\text{\AA}$. Such a phenomenon has the effect of giving a degree of terminal character to the bridging carbonyls. The carbonyl can be considered associated more strongly with the closest cobalt atom (CB1 with Co1, CB2 with Co2 and CB3 with Co3).

This behaviour has been observed before in the case of the ion $(\text{Fe}_4(\text{CO})_{13})^{2-}$ ³⁹⁵ which consists of a tetrahedral framework of iron atoms with twelve carbonyls distributed as in $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ and the thirteenth carbonyl triply bridging the three basal iron atoms. The Fe-C bond differences for the edge bridging carbonyls in this complex were much larger ($>0.4\text{\AA}$) than in $(\text{xylene})\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$. In the complex $\text{di-}\mu\text{-(1,2-bis(dimethylarsino)tetrafluorocyclobutene)-octa-carbonyl-tetrahedro-tetracobalt}$ ¹⁷⁷ discussed in Chapter IV, Section A of this Thesis, a tetrahedron of cobalt atoms is bridged by two 1,2-bis(dimethylarsino)tetrafluorocyclobutene ligands. Each cobalt has two 'terminal' carbonyl ligands associated with it. One is, for all intents and purposes, linear but the second is bent in an attempt to bridge. Both these examples describe a tendency for bridging carbonyls to become terminal perhaps due to the high degree of strain associated with small interatomic angles. The trends in the $(\text{arene})\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ complexes studied here are only hints of this type of distortion.

A similar argument has been made ³⁹⁶ for the non-linear terminal carbonyl M-C-O angle which, for (xylene)Co₄(CO)₉, averages 177°. Here, the π bonding is of somewhat different strength in the two mutually perpendicular directions.

The final thermal parameters were used to compute the major, median and minor axes of the thermal vibration ellipsoids for the individual atoms and their direction cosines. The axis lengths are in units of B where the root mean square displacement $(\bar{U}^2)^{1/2} = (B/8\pi^2)^{1/2}$ and these values are quoted in Table V-C-3. The molecule, as viewed in Figure V-C-1, is reproduced in Figure V-C-2. Here, the 68% probability envelopes of the vibration ellipsoids are shown for the atoms in the molecule. The dotted bonds and circles represent the two disordered methyl groups. All features of thermal vibration of the atoms in (xylene)Co₄(CO)₉ appear to be normal.

The planes described by Co1-Co2-Co3, CB1-CB2-CB3 and OB1-OB2-OB3 are all parallel (within 2°). However, the least squares plane to the six benzenoid carbon atoms is tilted 2.6° with respect to these aforementioned planes. This tilt can be seen by examining the apical cobalt-to-ring carbon distances quoted in Table V-C-1, the corresponding angles in Table V-C-2 and, most clearly, by Figure V-C-3 which is a projection down the *pseudo* three-fold axis of the molecule.

TABLE V-C-3

THERMAL VIBRATION ELLIPSOIDS^a - XYLENEBISNEACARBONYLTETRACOBALT

Atom	Axes ^b	Direction Cosines		
Co1	4.35	0.53803	0.20287	0.81814
	3.42	0.83880	-.03303	-.54344
	2.53	0.08318	-.97865	0.18794
Co2	4.08	-.07059	0.00535	0.99749
	3.77	0.80665	0.58861	0.05392
	2.52	0.58688	-.80840	0.04586
Co3	4.06	0.58534	-.02876	0.81027
	3.64	0.80863	-.05218	-.58601
	2.48	0.05909	0.99822	-.00729
Co4	4.46	0.28616	-.21090	0.93468
	3.88	0.78142	0.61593	-.10026
	2.31	0.55459	-.75904	-.34106
C1	8.97	0.15886	-.49871	0.85208
	4.00	0.66699	0.69051	0.27977
	2.29	0.72792	-.52391	-.44237
C2	6.81	0.76950	0.63721	0.04337
	6.14	0.08067	-.16434	0.98310
	2.65	0.63360	-.75297	-.17787
C3	11.97	0.35159	-.31076	0.88306
	5.68	0.90172	0.36594	-.23026
	2.22	0.25163	-.87722	-.40888
C4	9.29	0.27020	0.77821	-.56692
	6.80	0.73040	0.21798	0.64729
	2.83	0.62734	-.58896	-.50953
C5	9.18	0.54739	-.35820	0.75633
	7.03	0.43305	0.89459	0.11020
	2.39	0.71610	-.26722	-.64484
C6	7.87	0.60126	0.77852	-.18012
	4.99	0.51034	-.20065	0.83623
	3.14	0.61491	-.59468	-.51795
C7	12.43	0.17168	0.57378	-.80082
	7.88	0.16731	-.81806	-.55027
	3.94	0.97085	0.03950	0.23640
C11	8.70	0.64772	0.19713	0.73593
	5.18	0.66180	-.62420	-.41526
	2.50	0.37754	0.75599	-.53477

TABLE V-C-3 (CONT'D)

O11	18.30	0.77308	-.13999	0.61866
	7.32	0.29992	0.94013	-.16198
	4.13	0.55896	-.31074	-.76878
C12	5.70	0.69010	0.46989	0.55040
	5.38	0.71844	-.35317	-.59929
	2.92	0.08717	-.80900	0.59131
O12	11.91	0.43845	0.41852	0.79535
	7.97	0.89605	-.13494	-.42297
	3.76	0.06966	-.89813	0.43418
CB1	6.59	0.95875	0.15408	0.23882
	6.18	0.28227	-.41781	-.86358
	2.44	0.03334	-.89537	0.44407
OB1	13.70	0.56785	-.31778	-.75933
	6.98	0.59742	-.47545	-.64576
	3.54	0.56619	0.82035	0.08012
C21	6.03	0.10492	-.50024	-.85951
	4.61	0.37571	-.78028	0.49998
	2.79	0.92078	0.37541	-.10612
O21	8.52	0.23561	0.28268	0.92982
	7.90	0.31349	0.88353	-.34803
	4.28	0.91993	-.37346	-.11958
C22	7.90	0.64855	0.07223	-.75774
	4.68	0.68646	0.37456	0.62326
	3.83	0.32879	-.92339	0.19334
O22	15.06	0.73011	0.46973	-.49632
	6.77	0.52065	-.85280	-.04130
	4.44	0.44265	0.22823	0.86716
CB2	6.44	-.04303	0.18757	0.98108
	4.17	0.33183	0.92943	-.16145
	2.59	0.94215	-.31775	-.10687
OB2	8.17	0.02755	0.73193	0.68082
	7.32	0.97052	-.18372	0.15711
	3.25	0.23943	0.65643	-.71740
C31	6.77	0.98090	0.11487	0.15692
	5.04	0.01076	-.83784	0.54580
	3.46	0.19420	-.53369	-.82309
O31	11.78	0.12310	0.57346	-.80994
	11.16	0.96090	0.13510	0.24166
	3.13	0.24804	-.80802	-.53442

TABLE V-C-3 (CONT'D)

C32	6.32	0.95030	0.09054	0.29788
	4.99	0.31105	-.23410	-.92112
	3.04	0.01362	-.96799	0.25062
032	9.42	0.46405	-.22371	0.85709
	8.83	0.41557	-.79954	-.43367
	3.54	0.78232	0.55739	-.27808
CB3	6.13	0.64552	0.06715	0.76078
	5.30	0.72971	-.34835	-.58829
	2.96	0.22555	0.93496	-.27387
OB3	14.93	0.50091	-.54263	-.67429
	5.72	0.67808	0.73021	-.08397
	3.49	0.53792	-.41554	0.73367

^a Given in the order of major, median and minor axes.

^b Axis lengths are in units of B where the root mean square displacement $(\bar{U}^2)^{1/2} = (B/8\pi^2)^{1/2}$.

Figure V-C-2. A projection down the c axis showing the 68% probability ellipsoids for xyleneeneacarbonyltetracobalt(0).

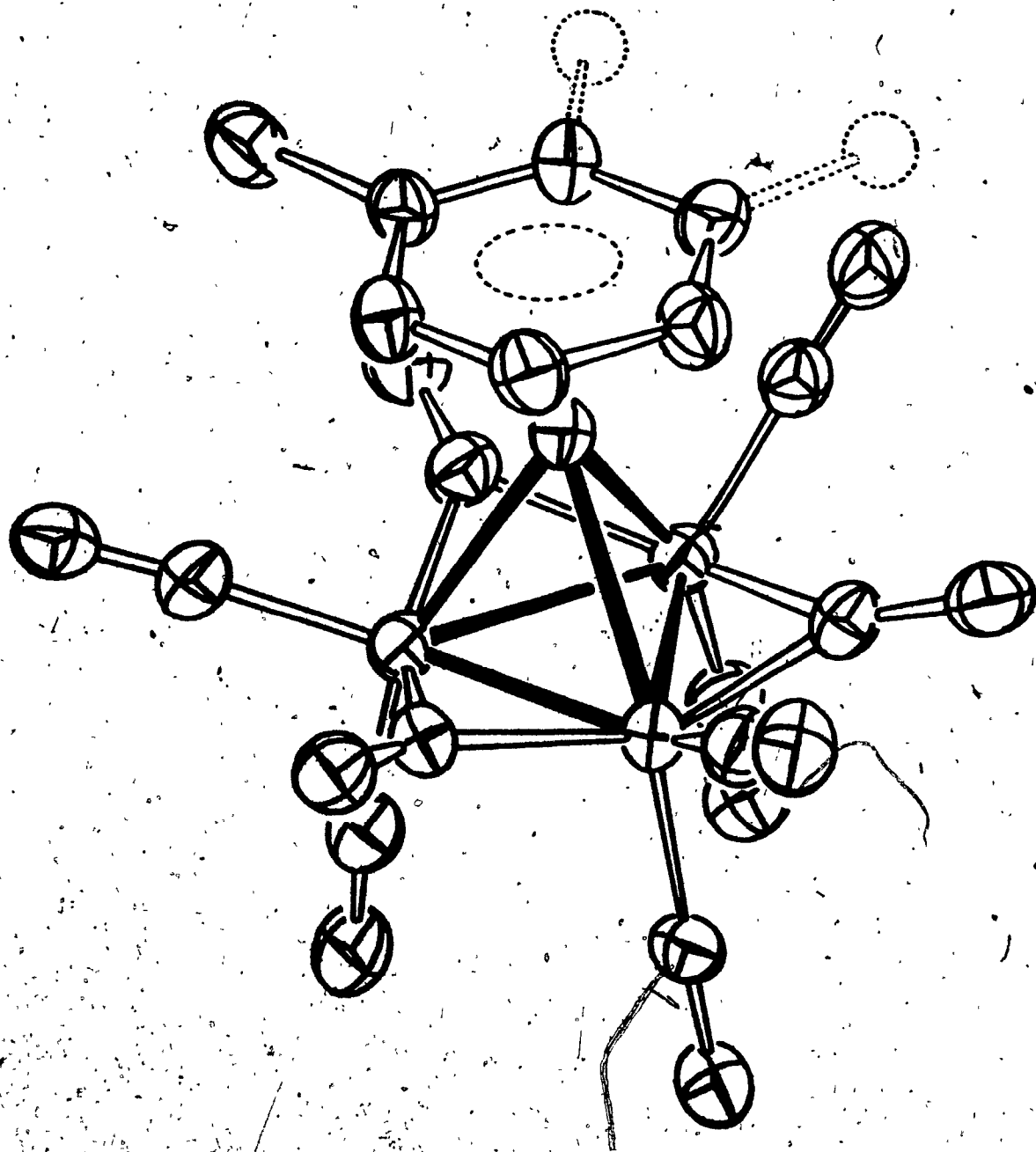
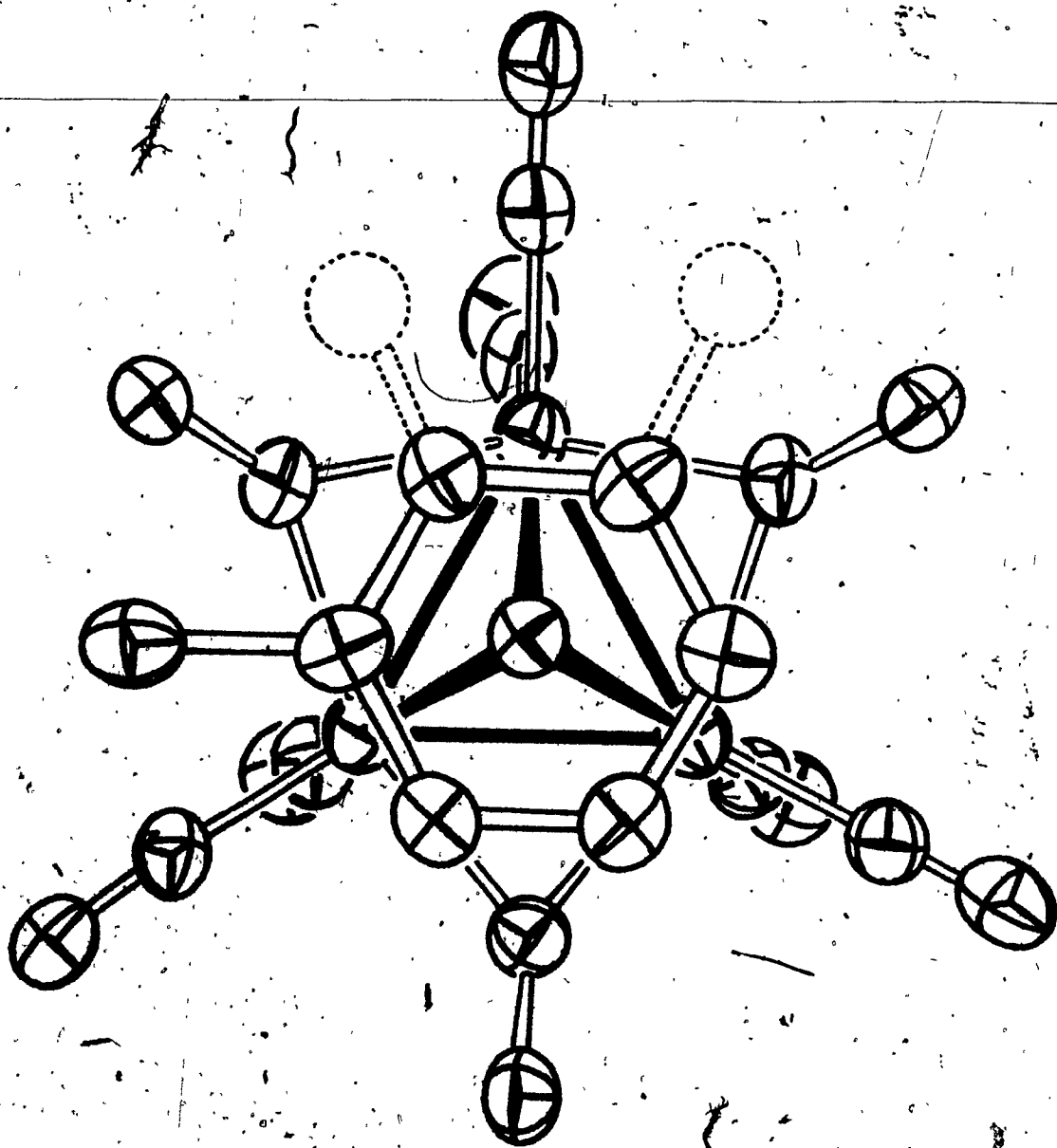


Figure V-C-3. A projection down the *pseudo* three-fold axis showing the 68% probability ellipsoids for xyleneeneacarbonyltetracobalt(0).



It will be noted that the carbons closest to Co4 are those that are substituted. This suggests that steric interactions are unlikely to be responsible for this trend.

Table V-C-4 gives all the non-bonded intramolecular contacts in the (xylene)Co₄(CO)₉ disordered molecule to 3.0Å. It is obvious from a study of this table that these contacts play no role in influencing the direction of tilt of the benzenoid plane. Another tempting explanation is that there is a degree of localized bonding of the arene to the transition metal atom. Since the ring is disordered, the importance of certain anomalies must be kept in perspective. Some or all of the trends observed may be artifacts but it was considered they were worthy of mention.

Since bond C2 - C3 is closest to the cobalt atom, perhaps a larger contribution of the π bond is due to this interaction rather than the others. If this were so, this bond length would be longer than the others since π electron density is taken principally from this bond. This is in fact observed (1.452(21)Å) although the differences are not very statistically significant. According to the χ^2 distribution, there is but a 5% probability that the six C - C bond lengths in the benzenoid ring are identical provided the estimated standard deviations truly reflect the deviations of the bonds.

TABLE V-C-4

NON-BONDED INTRAMOLECULAR CONTACTS (Å) FOR (XYLENE)Co₄(CO)₉^{a,b}

C11-CB3:	2.89	C21-CB1:	2.88	C31-CB2:	2.93
C11-CB1:	2.84	C21-CB2:	2.88	C31-CB3:	2.95
C11-C12:	2.68	C21-C22:	2.75	C31-C32:	2.70
C12-CB3:	2.74	C22-CB1:	2.76	C32-CB2:	2.70
C12-CB1:	2.69	C22-CB2:	2.75	C32-CB3:	2.76
Co4-CB3:	2.68	Co4-CB1:	2.82	Co4-CB2:	2.69
Co4-H4 :	2.86	Co4-H5 :	2.94	Co4-H6 :	2.88
		Co4-H4 :	2.86	Co4-H6 :	2.88
C7 -C8 :	2.91	C8 -C9 :	2.73		

a. Only those atomic contacts less than 3.0 Å are quoted.

b. Intra-ring distances are not listed except for methyl-methyl carbon distances.

There is in fact a hint of an alteration of bond lengths about the benzenoid ring (1.436(17), 1.452(21), 1.373(21), 1.413(22), 1.391(19), 1.402(18) Å) as has been observed for some structures reported in the Introduction of this Chapter. The least squares plane of the benzenoid ring carbon atoms is 1.64(1) Å above the apical cobalt atom. The deviations (in angströms) from this least squares plane of the individual atoms are 0.027, -0.024, 0.017, -0.011, 0.014 and -0.022. The average C-C bond length in the ring is 1.41(1) Å, somewhat longer than in free xylene (not within estimated standard deviations). Generally, bond lengths of this order are observed for π arene complexes and this reflects a slight decrease in π bonding character of the ring due to the metal atom.

Another fact which is worthy of note is that the Co-Co bonds *trans* to the methyl substituted portions of the arene are shorter (2.477(2) and 2.472(2) Å) than the other bond (2.491(2) Å). This difference is greater than 99% significant according to the χ^2 distribution. In polycyclic arene chromium tricarbonyl complexes (Section A, Part 3), the carbonyl carbon atom *trans* to the ring junction is closest to the chromium atom of the three carbonyl carbon atoms. In this class of compound, the arene carbon atoms furthest from the chromium atom are those at the ring junction. This trend is not as obvious in the (xylene)Co₄(CO)₉ complex in relation to the methyl substituted portion of the arene.

The most likely explanation for all these anomalies in the arene moiety and its π bonding to the cobalt atom is that they are all artifacts of the disorder. It is unwise to speculate based on such a structure and this is why the benzene complex was studied by X-ray crystallography. Perhaps if the pure *ortho*-xylene complex had been studied, more information could have been obtained. Nevertheless, a final look at the packing of the molecules in the monoclinic cell will help in an understanding of the disorder obtained.

If one were to speculate on the nature of the rhombohedral crystal first investigated, the obvious conclusion would be that the disorder was complete and that all six crystallographic sites corresponding to arene substituents were occupied by methyl groups. Three-fold symmetry would then be achieved and $R\bar{3}$ would be a plausible space group. The crystal studied was monoclinic and the packing of the four molecules in the unit cell is shown in Figure V-C-4 which is a projection down the unique axis. Intermolecular forces are slight and distances less than 3.0\AA are listed in Table V-C-5. The principle interaction seems to be of the hydrogen-oxygen type.

A careful examination of the packing diagram shows that substituent portions of the arene are pointed away from each other in all cases, thereby minimizing methyl-methyl interactions. Why the monoclinic polymorph is

Figure V-C-4. A projection down the unique axis of the monoclinic cell showing the four molecules of xyleneeneacarbonyltetracobalt(0).

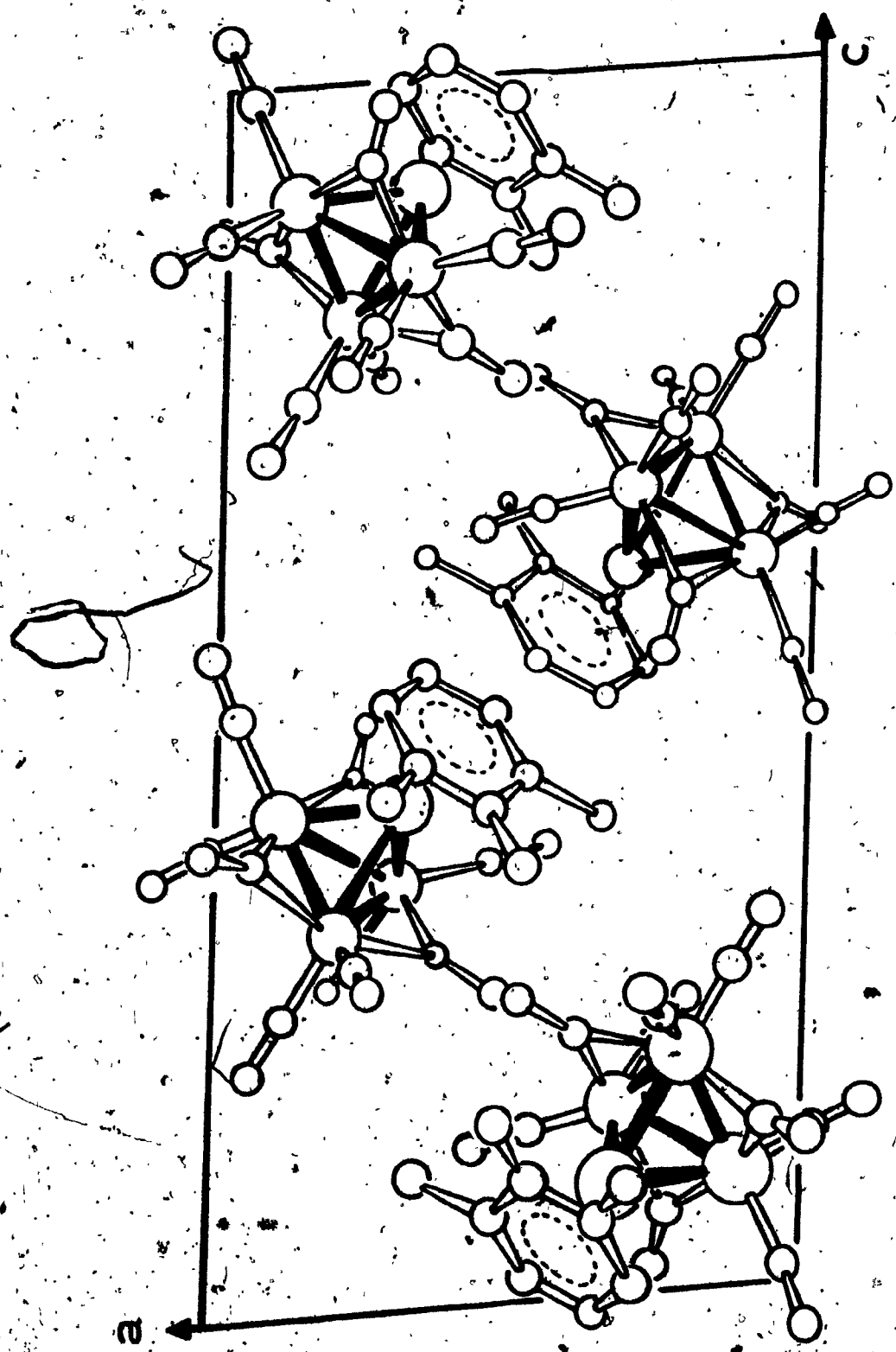


TABLE V-C-5

INTERMOLECULAR CONTACTS (Å) FOR (XYLENE)Co₄(CO)₉^{a,b}

OB2-H6	2.95	O32-H5	2.92
O32-H6	2.91		

a Only atomic contacts less than 3.0Å are quoted.

b The following transformations give the position of the second atom listed relative to the first which has co-ordinates x, y, z listed in Table D-2, Appendix D.

$$1-x, -y, 1-z$$

preferred over the rhombohedral polymorph is not clear.

3. The Crystal and Molecular Structure of Benzeneeneacarbonyltetracobalt(0).

The X-ray crystallographic structure investigation of benzeneeneacarbonyltetracobalt(0) showed two discrete molecules, with internal three-fold symmetry, lying on the three-fold axis of space group $R\bar{3}$. This three-fold axis contains 1) the centroid of the benzene ring π bonded to Co4, 2) the apical cobalt (Co4) of a $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ tetrahedron very similar to that observed in $(\text{xylene})\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ and 3) the centroid of the triangle described by the three basal cobalt atoms of this tetrahedron.

The cobalt carbonyl moiety was almost exactly identical to that for the disordered xylene complex although the results in the benzene compound should probably be considered more reliable. Tables V-C-6 and V-C-7 give the crystallographically independent bond lengths and angles for the benzene complex. The numbering scheme is identical to that for $(\text{xylene})\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ (Figure V-C-1) except that carbons 7, 8 and 9 are, of course, non-existent. To facilitate comparison, Table V-C-8 lists the average important bond lengths for $(\text{xylene})\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ and those for the benzene analog.

TABLE V-C-6

BOND LENGTHS (Å) IN BENZENEENNEACARBONYLTETRACOBALT

Co1-Co4: 2.485(1)

Co1-Co2: 2.457(2)

Co1-Cl1: 1.771(9)

Co1-Cl2: 1.795(10)

Co1-CB3: 1.956(9)

Co1-CB1: 1.939(9)

Cl1-O11: 1.160(12)

Cl2-O12: 1.120(12)

CB1-OB1: 1.148(11)

Co4-Cl : 2.122(10)

Co4-C2 : 2.122(13)

Cl -C2 : 1.387(18)

C2 -C3 : 1.394(18)

TABLE V-C-7

BOND ANGLES (°) IN BENZENEENECARBONYLTETRACOBALT(0)

Co1-Co4-Co2:	59.25 (4)	Cl2-Co1-CB1:	95.4 (4)	Co1-Co4-C1 :	129.8 (4)
Co4-Co1-Co2:	60.37 (4)	Cl2-Co1-Co2:	142.0 (3)	Co1-Co4-C2 :	107.8 (3)
Co4-Co1-Co3:	60.37 (4)	CB1-Co1-Co2:	51.2 (3)	Co1-Co4-C3 :	106.8 (4)
Co4-Co1-CB3:	76.7 (3)	Cl1-Co1-Co3:	103.0 (3)	Co1-Co4-C4 :	126.8 (3)
Co4-Co1-Cl2:	98.9 (3)	Cl1-Co1-CB3:	99.7 (4)	Co1-Co4-C5 :	159.1 (4)
Co4-Co1-CB1:	77.0 (3)	Cl1-Co1-Cl2:	99.6 (4)	Co1-Co4-C6 :	162.5 (3)
Co4-Co1-Cl1:	161.3 (3)	Cl1-Co1-CB1:	103.4 (4)	Cl -C2 -C3 :	120.1 (1)
Co3-Co1-CB3:	50.6 (3)	Cl1-Co1-Co2:	105.0 (3)	C6 -C1 -C2 :	120.1 (1)
Co3-Co1-Cl2:	140.3 (3)	Co1-Cl1-O11:	177.3 (8)		
Co3-Co1-CB1:	110.3 (3)	Co1-Cl2-O12:	178.6 (8)		
Co3-Co1-Co2:	60.00 (4)	Co1-CB3-OB3:	139.3 (7)		
CB3-Co1-Cl2:	93.8 (4)	Co1-CB1-OB1:	142.4 (7)		
CB3-Co1-CB1:	153.2 (4)	Co1-CB1-Co2:	78.2 (3)		
CB3-Co1-Co2:	109.7 (3)				

TABLE V-C-8

A COMPARISON OF THE PRINCIPAL BOND LENGTHS (Å) FOR $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ (XYLENE) $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ AND (BENZENE) $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ ^a

Bond	(XYLENE) $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ ^b	(BENZENE) $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$	$\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ ^b
Apical-to-Basal Cobalt	2.480 (6)	2.485 (1)	2.494 (8)
Basal Co-Co	2.454 (2)	2.457 (2)	2.485 (25)
Co-Basal CO C	1.776 (3)	1.771 (9)	1.73 (3)
Co-Equatorial CO C	1.786 (11)	1.795 (10)	1.96 (17)
Co-Bridging CO C (clockwise)	1.944 (3)	1.956 (9)	2.06 (6)
Co-Bridging CO C (anticlockwise)	1.901 (18)	1.939 (9)	2.05 (7)
C-O Terminal	1.144 (5)	1.140 (12)	1.022 (6 ⁴)
C-O Bridging	1.178 (9)	1.148 (11)	1.157 (2 ³)
Apical Co-Benzenoid C	2.161 (10)	2.122 (12)	
Benzenoid C-C	1.411 (12)	1.390 (18)	

^a Estimated standard deviations for the means are given in parentheses (right justified).

^b Based on the average lengths. $\sigma_{\bar{L}} = ((\sum (L_m - \bar{L})^2) / (m(m-1)))^{1/2}$ where m is the number of observations and \bar{L} is the average length.

Values for $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}^{22}$ are included where applicable. It can readily be appreciated that one $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ group can easily act as a confirmation of the other since the geometries are so similar. Comparison of the bond angle tables will further confirm this.

Caution must be exercised in trusting the geometries of disordered structures and since both the (xylene)- $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ and $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$ structures are disordered, one must be doubly cautious. The estimated standard deviations of the disordered structures must be viewed with an appreciable degree of skepticism and one should assure that the difference exceeds 3σ before any definitive arguments are made. However independent confirming trends can often add appreciable weight to statistically weak arguments.

Similar trends are observed for the (xylene)- and (benzene) $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ complexes. The lengths of bridged ($2.457(2)\text{\AA}$) and non-bridged ($2.485(1)\text{\AA}$) Co-Co bonds differ significantly. The difference between terminal and bridging carbonyl carbon-oxygen bonds is smaller for the benzene complex than for the xylene complex. Differences between average Co-C (bridging carbonyl) bond lengths are also smaller in the benzene complex to the point of being almost fortuitous.

The bridging carbonyl C-O bond length is 0.03\AA

shorter in the benzene complex than in the xylene complex. In point of fact, the terminal and bridging carbonyl C-O distances are equal within estimated standard deviations which is somewhat unusual when one considers the spread of distances observed for bridged and non-bridged metal-metal bonds (terminal C=O: 1.12 - 1.19Å, edge bridging C-O: 1.165 - 1.20Å).²⁴

The angle between the plane Co1-Co2-Cb1 and the plane Co1-Co2-Co3 is 11.4(3)°, a value lower than that for the xylene complex. This difference is rather puzzling since one would expect the bulkier xylene groups to increase this angle with respect to a benzene ligand. The contrary effect is observed.

The average cobalt-arene carbon distance is 2.122Å for (benzene)Co₄(CO)₉. The distance of Co4 to the least squares plane of the benzene ring is 1.603(2)Å. The average benzene carbon-carbon distance is 1.390(5)Å, shorter than that reported for (xylene)Co₄(CO)₉ and other π arene transition metal complexes. This value is the same as that for free benzene however. Libration corrections were attempted although they were unsuccessful due to computer program difficulties associated with the three-fold symmetry. The solution produced was not reasonable.

This structural study confirms the infrared

analysis of Bor *et al.*³⁸⁸ The angles measured fall within the ranges specified in this paper. The angle α_2 (see Section A, Part 5) is 99.6° for the benzene complex and 99.1° in the xylene complex. It is also observed that α_1 does increase with increasing substitution on the arene (xylene complex: 99.7° , benzene complex: 98.9°) but the difference is minimal.

The thermal parameters in the (benzene) $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_9$ complex were all well-behaved. No thermal ellipsoid diagrams were prepared but Table V-C-9 gives the major, median and minor axes of the thermal ellipsoids for the individual atoms and their associated direction cosines. Again here the axis lengths are in units of B as with the xylene complex. The packing diagram for the rhombohedral cell given in Figure V-C-5 is a projection down the b axis. No large intramolecular or intermolecular distances were recorded up to 3.0\AA and those that were found are listed in Tables V-C-10 and V-C-11, respectively.

A final comment must be added concerning the nature of the π bonded aromatic ring. The C-C distances in this complex do not vary significantly ($1.387(18)$ and $1.394(18)\text{\AA}$) and have an average value equal to the C-C distances in free benzene. The localized bonding scheme proposed from the alternating bond lengths in the benzene moiety of benzenetricarbonylchromium ($1.401(1)$ and $1.419(1)\text{\AA}$)²⁶²

TABLE V-C-9

THERMAL VIBRATION ELLIPSOIDS^a - BENZENEENEACARBONYLTETRACOBALT

Atom	Axes ^b	Direction Cosines		
Co1	3.70	0.71930	0.62083	0.31175
	2.94	0.68379	-.55348	-.47549
	2.37	-.12265	0.55519	-.82263
Co4	3.37	0.63592	-.73894	0.22266
	3.36	0.52068	0.19800	-.83048
	2.97	0.56959	0.64405	0.51066
C1	7.79	-.01639	0.57485	-.81810
	5.45	0.30070	-.77749	-.55234
	3.71	0.95358	0.25506	0.16011
C2	7.33	0.11504	0.64381	-.75649
	6.13	0.98878	-.00115	0.14939
	3.30	0.09531	-.76519	-.63671
C11	6.20	0.73717	0.49339	0.46168
	3.73	0.64337	-.30369	-.70274
	2.98	0.20652	-.81507	0.54130
O11	10.09	0.86996	-.02935	-.49226
	6.67	-.13093	0.94866	-.28793
	4.23	0.47543	0.31493	0.82145
C12	5.62	0.38714	-.00739	0.92199
	4.34	0.23902	0.96659	-.09261
	2.88	0.89050	-.25623	-.37597
O12	10.22	0.45486	0.32042	0.83092
	6.89	0.88450	-.27126	-.37958
	2.63	0.10377	0.90760	-.40680
CB1	6.12	0.78077	0.45138	0.43204
	3.75	0.56201	-.80950	-.16991
	2.92	0.27305	0.37547	-.88570
OB1	12.26	0.73086	0.58600	0.34992
	4.59	0.17759	0.33176	-.92650
	2.34	0.65902	-.73928	-.13840

^a Given in the order of major, median and minor axes.

^b Axis lengths are in units of B where the root mean square displacement $(\bar{U}^2)^{1/2} = (B/8\pi^2)^{1/2}$

Figure V-C-5. A projection down the b axis of the rhombohedral cell showing the two molecules of benzeneeneacarbonyltetracobalt(0).

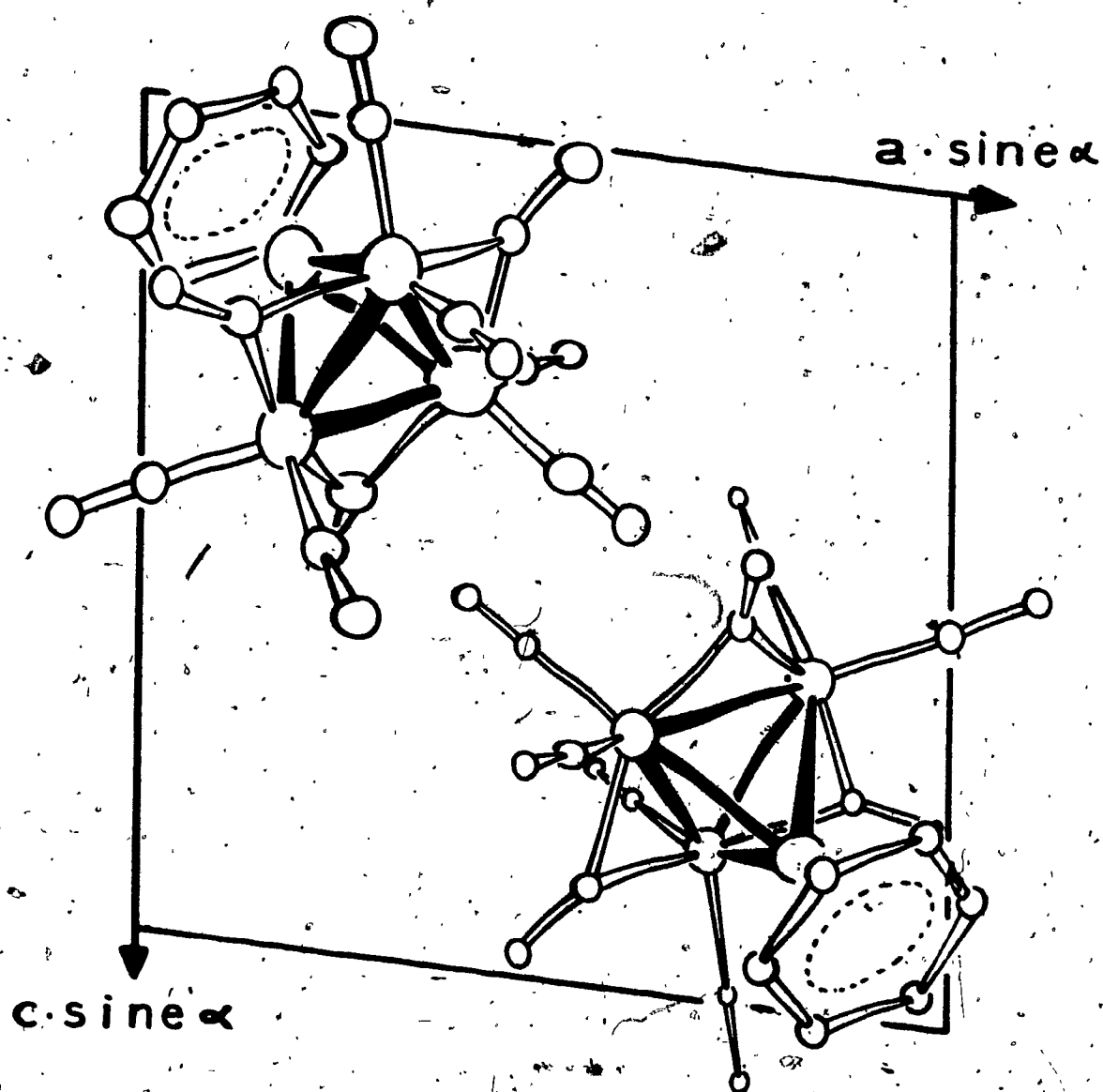


TABLE V-C-10

NON-BONDED INTRAMOLECULAR CONTACTS (Å) FOR (BENZENE)Co₄(CO)₉^a

Co4-CB1:	2.788	C11-C12:	2.724
CB1-C11:	2.914	CB1-C12:	2.763
CB1-C21:	2.852	CB1-C22:	2.741

^a Only atomic contacts less than 3.0 Å are quoted. Intra-ring distances are not listed.

TABLE V-C-11

INTERMOLECULAR CONTACTS (Å) FOR BENZENEENNEACARBONYLTETRACOBALT^a

OB3-H2	2.714	O12-H1	2.970
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^a Only atomic contacts less than 3.0 Å are quoted. The following transformations give the position of the second atom listed relative to the first which has co-ordinates x, y, z , listed in Table E-2, Appendix E.

$$1 - x, -y, -z$$

is not found in benzeneenneacarbonyltetracobalt. Perhaps a low temperature study would give different results in this regard.

Gilson³⁹⁷ has observed a low barrier to rotation (<2.7 kcal mole⁻¹) of the benzene ring in benzene-eneacarbonyltetracobalt. This conclusion was reached from nmr data recorded in the solid state. If the arene is rotating, the anisotropic parameters do not indicate that the libration of the ring is considerably greater than vibration of the individual atoms. Thus, the atoms must be spending most time in specific crystallographic sites rather than in free motion. It is interesting to speculate whether the rotation is not responsible for time-averaging the carbon atom positions. A low temperature X-ray crystallographic structure investigation might settle this question.

APPENDIX A

TABLE A-1: The observed and calculated structure factors for tris(hexacarbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine.

TABLE A-2: Final positional parameters with estimated standard deviations for tris(hexacarbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)-arsine.

TABLE A-3: Final thermal parameters ($\times 10^4$) with estimated standard deviations for tris(hexacarbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine.

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K	L	FOES	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL
11	13	628	638	1	8	442	510	5	7	668	864	9	10	400	347
12	8	683	696	1	9	1132	1166	5	8	347	310	9	12	509	480
12	1	321	292	1	10	249	292	5	14	308	311	9	15	230	243
12	1	476	538	1	13	605	599	5	15	392	311	10	12	1010	1081
12	5	454	557	1	14	736	745	5	16	406	325	10	3	462	549
12	6	624	678	1	15	543	594	5	17	363	338	10	6	1236	1264
12	7	251	373	1	16	462	453	6	0	1749	1803	10	10	289	197
12	8	425	372	1	17	305	202	6	2	1388	1442	10	12	276	245
12	10	279	243	2	0	456	449	6	3	824	872	11	1	252	188
13	8	272	228	2	2	390	345	6	5	808	858	11	3	512	979
13	1	292	337	2	3	816	832	6	6	384	314	11	5	997	1019
13	1	626	675	2	4	1091	1054	6	8	709	688	11	8	353	362
13	3	273	286	2	5	1199	1250	6	10	396	383	11	9	409	410
13	4	832	894	2	7	1005	1025	6	11	433	452	11	10	202	245
13	5	316	172	2	8	681	687	6	13	376	286	12	0	434	387
13	6	465	521	2	10	696	753	6	14	309	405	12	1	403	345
13	9	375	210	2	13	326	233	6	15	349	419	12	2	283	267
13	10	463	419	2	14	480	466	6	16	409	467	12	3	599	576
13	12	633	684	3	1	812	615	7	0	232	182	12	4	330	418
14	6	288	312	3	2	990	1013	7	1	537	541	12	5	531	508
14	7	488	545	3	3	319	343	7	2	245	143	12	8	426	376
14	9	581	524	3	4	1092	1064	7	4	563	631	12	9	268	330
14	10	325	280	3	5	381	391	7	5	244	269	12	10	734	816
14	12	354	313	3	6	417	417	7	6	997	1029	12	11	268	223
15	2	310	399	3	8	946	1009	7	7	995	1036	12	12	508	480
15	3	324	365	3	9	305	242	7	8	1150	1206	13	0	318	252
15	9	375	372	3	10	872	850	7	9	1008	1041	13	4	596	629
15	15	294	256	3	15	310	356	7	10	490	527	13	5	365	400
16	0	2627	2639	4	1	891	959	7	12	546	485	13	6	695	970
16	0	1957	2014	4	2	583	1030	7	13	594	631	13	7	337	264
16	0	2024	2081	4	3	1284	1322	7	14	695	701	13	8	645	660
16	0	929	924	4	4	768	741	7	15	469	580	13	9	454	367
16	0	539	551	4	5	862	893	7	16	566	537	13	12	376	259
16	0	561	544	4	6	269	253	7	17	308	298	14	1	449	864
16	1	227	162	4	7	414	429	8	1	1414	1522	14	2	319	223
16	1	490	444	4	8	279	257	8	2	394	374	14	3	422	460
16	1	624	574	4	10	414	429	8	4	421	442	14	4	506	641
16	1	381	372	4	11	279	257	8	5	403	433	14	5	595	593
16	1	712	682	4	15	305	249	8	6	1122	1164	14	6	392	467
16	1	659	660	4	0	273	324	8	7	1263	1301	14	7	618	709
16	1	1611	1673	4	5	892	940	8	8	263	301	14	10	327	355
16	1	712	706	4	5	941	919	8	11	314	264	14	12	270	318
16	1	344	365	4	5	962	967	9	0	332	369	14	13	289	194
16	1	470	422	4	5	1060	1091	9	1	706	812	14	14	328	394
16	1	422	422	4	5	1060	1091	9	3	633	685	14	16	547	604

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H = -6

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7	1	1546	1632	10	15	316	208	17	3	477	455	5	15	478	476
7	2	1479	1494	11	11	859	692	17	6	338	239	5	17	384	342
7	3	927	955	11	11	551	611	18	6	326	350	6	0	638	643
7	4	750	785	11	2	310	186	18	7	310	186	6	0	333	359
7	6	1047	1076	H = -4								6	2	537	567
7	7	748	776									6	3	937	940
7	8	1382	1477									6	5	269	341
7	9	588	573									6	6	881	863
7	10	805	835									6	6	722	744
7	16	394	384									6	9	321	306
8	0	437	471									6	10	345	344
8	1	738	756									6	11	354	304
8	3	363	434									6	13	737	732
8	4	319	336									7	1	1055	1078
8	5	538	558									7	2	437	430
8	6	510	540									7	4	530	547
8	8	359	332									7	6	249	195
8	9	471	475									7	7	922	961
8	11	418	335									7	9	341	280
8	13	773	807									7	10	569	690
8	15	332	390									7	11	298	200
8	16	335	193									7	11	655	651
9	2	518	542									7	12	345	380
9	3	617	622									7	13	391	275
9	4	813	857									7	16	271	237
9	6	916	947									8	0	320	315
9	7	796	840									8	2	557	512
9	9	227	333									8	3	1611	1634
9	12	339	1298									8	5	444	498
9	13	417	444									8	6	646	694
9	14	406	330									8	7	611	659
9	15	432	403									8	9	927	1006
9	15	551	579									8	13	1057	1074
9	16	365	360									9	0	459	456
10	8	246	352									9	0	731	729
10	1	466	447									9	2	505	568
10	2	332	480									9	4	298	282
10	3	433	426									9	6	290	292
10	6	795	859									9	9	587	574
10	7	598	593									9	10	282	272
10	8	1062	1077									9	12	297	369
10	9	759	797									9	14	309	365
10	10	275	388									9	14	864	920

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K	L	FOES	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL
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5	3	502	567	9	7	895	937	15	4	1078	1170	1	14	395	372	6	0	2616	2604
5	7	664	661	9	10	230	191	15	2	1066	1100	1	15	637	564	6	1	2174	2154
5	9	356	361	9	12	358	448	15	7	356	338	2	0	1105	1103	6	2	782	721
5	10	219	249	9	13	357	354	15	0	374	319	2	1	1433	1721	6	3	426	375
5	11	549	554	9	14	634	585	16	0	351	399	2	2	554	549	6	4	1099	1139
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9	11	224	179	18	20	4	4	5	3	317	252	10	10	255	167	1	8	392	325	
9	12	551	574	18	21	4	4	5	4	267	183	11	1	470	521	1	9	266	232	
9	13	543	578	18	22	4	4	5	5	328	272	11	2	370	406	1	10	349	256	
9	14	543	578	18	23	4	4	5	5	294	290	11	3	469	463	1	11	287	256	
9	15	543	578	18	24	4	4	5	5	294	290	11	4	469	463	1	12	287	256	

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K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL	
7	4	697	772	14	5	467	445	4	8	476	495	12	2	527	544	4	4	280	191	
7	5	349	320	14	7	623	613	4	9	514	493	12	3	650	702	5	5	278	405	
7	8	374	267	15	0	323	386	4	10	309	197	12	4	357	327	6	6	316	396	
8	0	495	471	15	3	271	195	5	1	337	336	12	6	307	200	7	7	333	290	
8	1	1402	1424	16	0	683	726	5	2	376	415	12	7	377	369	5	1	310	333	
8	2	279	160	16	1	295	149	5	3	639	609	13	0	255	252	5	3	352	294	
8	3	675	699	16	2	602	618	5	4	490	414	13	2	476	509	5	5	274	257	
8	5	381	449	17	3	423	346	5	5	261	221	13	3	359	376	6	8	386	242	
8	8	683	710	17	6	683	710	6	0	1724	1803	13	4	388	442	6	0	455	465	
8	9	683	425		6	423	346	6	1	1090	1130	13	5	391	380	6	1	263	218	
9	1	369	445		6	6	6	6	2	986	1017	13	6	400	360	6	2	1107	1125	
9	3	623	655		6	0	2436	2639	6	3	533	538	14	0	262	259	6	4	839	886
9	4	331	289		6	6	1362	1431	6	5	308	192	14	1	589	604	6	6	356	315
9	6	640	651		6	6	670	680	6	6	334	410	14	2	487	468	7	0	359	387
9	7	304	343		6	6	516	470	6	7	325	285	14	4	354	266	7	2	701	697
9	8	494	457		6	6	523	524	6	8	366	308	14	0	351	314	7	3	534	558
9	9	337	352		6	10	281	307	6	10	473	525	15	3	270	141	7	4	555	511
10	1	314	325		7	1	697	746	7	10	493	467	15	4	312	238	7	5	549	495
10	2	717	720		7	3	621	659	7	3	670	707	16	3	323	212	8	3	621	603
10	3	424	394		7	4	928	972	7	4	972	1006					8	5	621	603
10	4	897	917		7	5	935	952	7	5	753	754					9	1	554	606
10	5	320	274		7	6	807	819	7	6	750	742					9	2	285	370
10	6	393	323		7	7	572	513	7	7	417	404					9	3	292	324
10	8	401	385		7	10	377	387	7	10	446	361					9	4	305	338
10	9	296	231		8	1	455	449	8	1	1028	1094					10	0	274	321
10	10	587	481		8	2	1268	1317	8	2	331	361					10	2	421	409
11	1	724	720		8	3	659	689	8	3	397	324					10	3	334	321
11	3	724	720		8	4	931	996	8	4	286	275					11	2	413	371
11	4	516	440		8	6	626	644	8	6	290	267					11	4	645	696
11	5	464	512		9	0	274	192	9	0	433	369					12	0	433	402
11	6	277	140		9	1	318	338	9	1	233	211					12	1	627	659
11	7	278	169		9	2	523	440	9	2	381	402					12	2	284	174
11	9	239	193		9	3	334	306	9	3	230	196					12	3	265	280
12	1	314	441		9	6	328	313	9	6	328	313					13	4	326	354
12	2	359	319		9	8	364	373	9	8	246	125					14	3	434	447
12	3	315	293		9	1	284	310	9	1	246	125					14	4	434	447
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12	8	399	331		10	3	314	301	10	3	250	231					15	3	434	447
12	9	458	596		10	6	272	204	10	6	557	621					15	4	434	447
13	1	458	448		10	8	366	313	10	8	325	324					15	5	434	447
13	3	299	218		11	1	591	560	11	1	436	464					15	6	434	447
13	4	758	796		11	3	1183	1246	11	3	753	757					15	7	434	447
14	1	247	274		11	6	1583	1696	11	6	411	352					15	8	434	447
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14	4	311	308		12	1	503	487	12	1	756	769					15	11	434	447
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14	24	311	308		12	21	525	490	12	21	756	769					15	31	434	447
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14	40	311	308		12	37	525	490	12	37	756	769					15	47	434	447
14	41	311	308		12	38	525	490	12	38	756	769					15	48	434	447
14	42	311	308		12	39	525	490	12	39	756	769					15	49	434	447

K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL
1	1	635	679	4	8	794	824	7	1	348	347	11	0	306	216
1	2	589	579	4	3	365	380	7	2	452	477	11	1	290	203
1	3	571	572	4	4	648	685	7	3	579	614	11	2	274	264
1	4	541	514	4	5	752	729	7	4	445	447	12	0	463	480
1	5	538	482	4	6	437	518	9	0	393	472	12	1	383	321
2	1	399	371	5	1	509	597	9	1	365	368				
2	2	444	482	5	3	383	276	9	2	340	327				
2	3	429	473	6	0	408	430	10	8	445	421				
2	4	266	295	6	2	383	316	10	1	304	213	1	0	499	543
2	5	788	982	6	3	282	252	10	3	398	371	1	1	518	539

K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL
7	2	293	277	1	4	273	226	1	4	273	226	1	4	273	226
9	0	614	643	3	0	874	762	3	0	874	762	3	0	874	762
9	1	286	183	3	2	696	736	3	2	696	736	3	2	696	736
10	0	330	378	4	4	543	518	4	4	543	518	4	4	543	518
				5	1	648	663	5	1	648	663	5	1	648	663
				6	3	394	355	6	3	394	355	6	3	394	355
				7	0	675	717	7	0	675	717	7	0	675	717
				7	1	344	177	7	1	344	177	7	1	344	177

H = 11.

TABLE A-2
FINAL POSITIONAL PARAMETERS WITH ESTIMATED STANDARD DEVIATIONS^a
FOR TRIS (HEXACARBONYLDICOBALT- η -ETHYNYL) ARSINE^c

ATOM NAME	X	Y	Z	MATRIX LOCATION ^b
As	0.41375 (9)	0.40945 (7)	0.30002 (7)	1-1-2-2
Co1	0.26080 (14)	0.25820 (9)	0.30318 (11)	2-2-4-3
Co2	0.21319 (13)	0.27528 (9)	0.15026 (11)	2-2-3-5
Co3	0.72472 (13)	0.39660 (10)	0.33223 (12)	2-3-5-1
Co4	0.61847 (14)	0.39865 (10)	0.17547 (11)	1-3-1-3
Co5	0.27543 (15)	0.56782 (9)	0.29661 (11)	1-4-4-4
Co6	0.23199 (14)	0.54675 (9)	0.14499 (11)	1-4-5-2
C1	0.2798 (11)	0.3427 (6)	0.2417 (6)	2-5-1-3
C2	0.1571 (11)	0.3311 (6)	0.2246 (7)	2-5-3-4
C3	0.5439 (9)	0.3816 (6)	0.2585 (6)	2-5-2-4
C4	0.6132 (10)	0.3274 (7)	0.2556 (7)	1-5-3-5
C5	0.3506 (9)	0.4980 (7)	0.2429 (7)	1-5-2-5
C6	0.3923 (10)	0.5618 (6)	0.2365 (7)	1-5-1-4
O11	0.2577 (12)	0.2961 (8)	0.3970 (8)	2-3-3-5
O11	0.2588 (11)	0.3235 (7)	0.4588 (7)	2-3-4-2
C12	0.1580 (14)	0.1860 (8)	0.2957 (10)	2-4-4-4
O12	0.0949 (11)	0.1390 (7)	0.2926 (9)	2-4-5-5
C13	0.4231 (14)	0.2221 (8)	0.3437 (9)	2-3-5-4
O13	0.5186 (8)	0.2005 (5)	0.3680 (7)	2-3-1-2
C21	0.1683 (13)	0.3281 (9)	0.0610 (9)	2-1-1-1
O21	0.1388 (11)	0.3628 (6)	-0.0006 (7)	2-1-2-1
C22	0.0877 (15)	0.2130 (10)	0.1101 (11)	2-1-5-5
O22	0.0059 (11)	0.1730 (7)	0.0815 (9)	2-1-1-2
C23	0.3466 (12)	0.2282 (7)	0.1446 (9)	2-1-3-3
O23	0.4328 (8)	0.1982 (5)	0.1452 (7)	2-1-4-3
C31	0.7230 (14)	0.3652 (10)	0.4277 (10)	2-2-3-4
O31	0.7224 (11)	0.3399 (8)	0.4906 (7)	2-2-4-5

TABLE A-2 (CONT'D)

C32	0.8807(14)	0.3612(8)	0.3434(10)	2-2-1-3
O32	0.9712(8)	0.3388(6)	0.3512(8)	2-2-2-3
C33	0.7379(19)	0.4891(14)	0.3519(16)	2-1-2-2
O33	0.7518(17)	0.5463(8)	0.3697(14)	2-1-3-2
C41	0.5023(13)	0.3691(7)	0.0836(9)	1-4-1-1
O41	0.4251(9)	0.3482(6)	0.0214(6)	1-1-4-4
C42	0.7477(16)	0.3692(7)	0.1481(10)	1-4-3-2
O42	0.8280(10)	0.3529(6)	0.1292(8)	1-4-4-1
C43	0.6092(14)	0.4899(10)	0.1565(12)	1-4-1-3
O43	0.6100(11)	0.5518(6)	0.1488(9)	1-4-2-3
C51	0.3902(15)	0.5728(9)	0.3969(10)	1-2-4-3
O51	0.4799(12)	0.5746(8)	0.4626(7)	1-4-2-2
C52	0.2245(12)	0.6600(8)	0.2903(10)	1-1-5-1
O52	0.1917(11)	0.7138(6)	0.2868(9)	1-2-3-1
C53	0.1559(18)	0.5224(8)	0.3128(14)	1-3-2-1
O53	0.0821(14)	0.4888(7)	0.3255(11)	1-3-3-1
C61	0.2812(15)	0.5191(9)	0.0614(10)	1-2-2-4
O61	0.3123(12)	0.5045(7)	0.0092(7)	1-3-5-3
C62	0.1836(12)	0.6364(9)	0.1039(10)	1-2-1-2
O62	0.1605(11)	0.6928(6)	0.0819(9)	1-2-5-4
C63	0.0864(14)	0.5018(8)	0.1166(10)	1-3-1-5
O63	-0.0068(10)	0.4731(6)	0.1020(8)	1-3-2-5

^a Estimated standard deviations are right justified to the least significant digits of the fractional co-ordinates.

^b The scale factor was always in matrix one. The numbers correspond to the matrix in which the atom was refined for 1st anisotropic, 2nd anisotropic, 3rd anisotropic and 4th anisotropic cycles respectively. Only arsenic, six cobalts and the acetylenic carbons were anisotropically refined in the 1st anisotropic cycle.

^c See Figure III-C-1, page 84 in the text for a description of the numbering scheme used.

TABLE A-3
FINAL THERMAL PARAMETERS^a ($\times 10^4$) WITH ESTIMATED STANDARD DEVIATIONS^b
FOR TRIS (HEXACARBONYLDICOBALT-T-ETHYNYL) ARSINE^c

ATOM NAME	β_{11}	β_{22}	β_{33}	β_{12}	β_{13}	β_{23}
As	62.3(11)	25.4(4)	31.9(6)	5.5(7)	22.8(6)	0.3(5)
Co1	66.8(16)	28.9(7)	52.9(10)	-3.0(10)	31.1(11)	9.9(7)
Co2	70.1(16)	28.7(7)	47.4(10)	-2.9(9)	18.2(10)	-1.1(7)
Co3	56.1(16)	37.2(8)	69.2(12)	0.1(10)	26.0(11)	-9.8(9)
Co4	89.9(18)	23.0(7)	66.3(11)	3.0(10)	54.3(12)	3.2(8)
Co5	107.6(21)	26.4(8)	60.7(11)	11.0(10)	49.4(12)	-0.8(7)
Co6	72.7(18)	24.0(6)	49.2(10)	3.9(9)	25.6(11)	5.2(7)
C1	73(14)	34(5)	26(6)	20(7)	11(8)	6(4)
C2	67(14)	33(5)	38(7)	-12(7)	11(8)	-3(5)
C3	46(12)	31(6)	25(6)	-10(6)	20(7)	-1(4)
C4	21(12)	58(7)	39(7)	19(7)	16(7)	-1(6)
C5	55(12)	32(5)	34(7)	-6(6)	34(7)	-9(5)
C6	108(15)	18(5)	28(6)	9(7)	29(8)	-2(4)

TABLE A-3 (CONT'D)

C11	63(15)	52(6)	43(8)	-10(8)	-18(9)	31(6)
O11	222(18)	94(7)	47(7)	12(8)	50(10)	10(6)
C12	120(20)	46(7)	78(10)	15(9)	39(11)	4(7)
O12	188(16)	79(7)	156(10)	-66(8)	63(10)	30(7)
C13	141(20)	31(6)	52(9)	1(9)	39(12)	22(6)
O13	89(11)	51(5)	106(8)	27(6)	47(8)	22(5)
C21	110(17)	79(9)	42(8)	-23(10)	30(11)	-28(7)
O21	187(17)	81(6)	56(7)	22(18)	36(9)	14(5)
C22	144(22)	62(9)	92(13)	13(11)	20(14)	-18(9)
O22	173(18)	82(8)	142(11)	-46(9)	8(11)	-12(7)
C23	133(18)	16(6)	67(8)	1(7)	15(11)	10(6)
O23	124(12)	42(4)	93(7)	26(6)	27(8)	-9(4)
C31	69(18)	98(11)	43(10)	39(11)	-8(13)	-23(9)
O31	160(15)	138(8)	51(8)	40(8)	27(10)	7(7)
C32	95(8)	52(8)	106(12)	-1(10)	34(13)	11(8)
O32	46(10)	80(6)	152(10)	23(7)	56(9)	5(6)
C33	57(24)	136(16)	156(18)	-20(18)	29(16)	-53(16)
O33	283(26)	68(8)	206(17)	-36(12)	45(15)	-56(10)
C41	122(18)	38(6)	36(8)	13(9)	42(10)	12(6)
O41	175(14)	63(5)	52(7)	-4(7)	50(8)	-5(5)
C42	199(28)	24(5)	90(12)	11(10)	91(15)	14(6)

TABLE A-3 (CONT'D)

O42	210(16)	55(5)	146(10)	31(7)	144(10)	24(6)
C43	157(20)	49(8)	110(14)	9(11)	102(14)	-17(9)
Q43	269(17)	25(4)	162(11)	-3(8)	155(11)	4(6)
C51	249(26)	47(8)	80(11)	58(12)	73(13)	-1(8)
O51	292(21)	97(8)	67(8)	35(11)	24(10)	-13(7)
C52	127(17)	28(6)	102(11)	7(7)	85(11)	-1(7)
O52	286(19)	20(4)	174(11)	18(8)	150(13)	-8(6)
C53	352(33)	4(6)	154(17)	29(10)	148(20)	2(8)
O53	416(26)	38(6)	275(16)	-36(10)	269(17)	-7(8)
C61	127(21)	34(7)	56(10)	8(9)	-7(12)	6(7)
O61	252(19)	85(6)	68(8)	56(8)	79(10)	20(6)
C62	65(14)	55(8)	64(10)	-2(9)	13(9)	-5(8)
O62	200(17)	34(5)	134(10)	20(8)	52(10)	25(6)
C63	152(23)	36(6)	68(11)	27(10)	33(12)	1(6)
O63	111(13)	73(6)	114(9)	-30(8)	9(9)	32(6)

^a These are applied in the expression $\exp\{-(h^2\beta_{11} + k^2\beta_{22} + l^2\beta_{33} + 2hk\beta_{12} + 2hl\beta_{13} + 2kl\beta_{23})\}$.

^b Estimated standard deviations are right justified to the least significant digits of the thermal parameter ($\times 10^4$).

^c See Figure III-C-1, page 84 in the text for a description of the numbering used.

APPENDIX B

TABLE B-1: The observed and calculated structure factors for, μ -bis(diphenylphosphino)methane- μ -diphenylacetylene-tetracarbonyldicobalt.

TABLE B-2: Final positional parameters with estimated standard deviations for μ -bis(diphenylphosphino)methane- μ -diphenylacetylene-tetracarbonyldicobalt.

TABLE B-3: Final thermal parameters ($\times 10^4$) with estimated standard deviations for μ -bis(diphenylphosphino)-methane- μ -diphenylacetylene-tetracarbonyldicobalt.

TABLE B-4: Equations of planes of the rigid rings in $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_4 \cdot (\text{PhCCPh})(\text{Ph}_2\text{PCH}_2\text{PPh}_2)$

TABLE B-1

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31	16	719	-795	3	21	675	730	7	7	7	214	23	21	278	-216	3	3	13	203	13	13	201	-81
32	17	453	-502	3	22	191	177	7	7	7	-85	23	22	334	-332	3	3	14	152	14	14	-143	205
33	18	59	66	3	23	597	560	7	7	7	226	23	23	232	-211	3	3	15	74	15	15	-88	410
34	19	556	-566	3	24	101	-106	7	7	7	-225	23	24	7		3	3	16	346	16	16	722	176
35	20	1365	1354	3	25	437	430	7	7	7	-555	23	25	8		3	3	17	143	17	17	153	-163
36	21	899	940	3	26	236	-235	7	7	7	206	23	26	9		3	3	18	200	18	18	-235	-235
37	22	250	-268	3	27	205	197	7	7	7	-345	23	27	10		3	3	19	145	19	19	1134	343
38	23	795	829	3	28	146	161	7	7	7	-189	23	28	11		3	3	20	441	20	20	-392	99
39	24	279	312	3	29	644	-644	7	7	7	341	23	29	12		3	3	21	397	21	21	72	207
40	25	48	347	3	30	351	353	7	7	7	-94	23	30	13		3	3	22	267	22	22	305	-86
41	26	125	-134	3	31	235	-239	7	7	7	-272	23	31	14		3	3	23	345	23	23	-346	-288
42	27	59	-26	3	32	267	250	7	7	7	-325	23	32	15		3	3	24	195	24	24	210	-216
43	28	270	278	3	33	222	209	7	7	7	215	23	33	16		3	3	25	158	25	25	-139	353
44	29	959	-980	3	34	135	-182	7	7	7	409	23	34	17		3	3	26	111	26	26	151	-322
45	30	142	-131	3	35	491	-502	7	7	7	115	23	35	18		3	3	27	156	27	27	73	-303
46	31	401	434	3	36	60	28	7	7	7	750	23	36	19		3	3	28	353	28	28	-357	-204
47	32	887	857	3	37	54	-19	7	7	7	-85	23	37	20		3	3	29	304	29	29	-268	51
48	33	320	-304	3	38	391	-426	7	7	7	-264	23	38	21		3	3	30	136	30	30	122	429
49	34	35	100	3	39	167	142	7	7	7	318	23	39	22		3	3	31	205	31	31	224	394
50	35	321	-354	3	40	404	-433	7	7	7	161	23	40	23		3	3	32	47	32	32	-21	-148
51	36	787	782	3	41	213	245	7	7	7	-162	23	41	24		3	3	33	467	33	33	461	307
52	37	770	27	3	42	342	-355	7	7	7	-84	23	42	25		3	3	34	167	34	34	176	-97
53	38	279	-267	3	43	950	-900	7	7	7	107	23	43	26		3	3	35	220	35	35	-221	301
54	39	720	656	3	44	157	196	7	7	7	-556	23	44	27		3	3	36	658	36	36	605	-136
55	40	279	-267	3	45	241	-216	7	7	7	-188	23	45	28		3	3	37	696	37	37	687	155

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TABLE B-2
FINAL POSITIONAL PARAMETERS WITH ESTIMATED STANDARD DEVIATIONS^a
FOR μ -BIS(DIPHENYLPHOSPHINO)METHANE- μ -DIPHENYLACETYLENE-
TETRACARBONYLDICOBALT(0)^b

ATOM NAME	X	Y	Z
Co1	0.29013 (12)	0.40511 (7)	0.16834 (9)
Co2	0.36081 (12)	0.33636 (7)	0.05663 (9)
P1	0.42922 (23)	0.37725 (14)	0.27022 (18)
P2	0.49280 (24)	0.28213 (14)	0.14186 (18)
Cl2	0.4670 (9)	0.2911 (4)	0.2562 (6)
CA1	0.2091 (8)	0.3650 (5)	0.0625 (7)
CA2	0.2373 (8)	0.3199 (5)	0.1235 (6)
CCOA	0.1893 (10)	0.4198 (6)	0.2341 (8)
OCOA	0.1191 (7)	0.4296 (4)	0.2776 (6)
CCOB	0.3145 (9)	0.4857 (6)	0.1308 (8)
OCOB	0.3230 (7)	0.5372 (4)	0.1031 (7)
CCOC	0.4184 (12)	0.3993 (7)	-0.0016 (9)
OCOC	0.4467 (10)	0.4392 (6)	-0.0451 (8)
CCOD	0.3367 (11)	0.2793 (7)	-0.0252 (8)
OCOD	0.3143 (10)	0.2431 (6)	-0.0808 (7)
ClA1	0.5647 (5)	0.4191 (4)	0.2817 (5)
ClA2	0.6516 (6)	0.3967 (3)	0.3431 (4)
ClA3	0.7564 (5)	0.4270 (4)	0.3511 (5)
ClA4	0.7743 (5)	0.4798 (4)	0.2976 (6)
ClA5	0.6874 (7)	0.5022 (3)	0.2362 (5)
ClA6	0.5826 (6)	0.4718 (4)	0.2282 (4)
ClB1	0.3960 (6)	0.3800 (4)	0.3820 (4)
ClB2	0.3747 (6)	0.3241 (3)	0.4285 (5)
ClB3	0.3412 (7)	0.3298 (4)	0.5110 (5)
ClB4	0.3291 (7)	0.3914 (5)	0.5469 (4)

TABLE B-2. (CONT'D)

C1B5	0.3505 (7)	0.4473 (3)	0.5004 (5)
C1B6	0.3840 (6)	0.4416 (3)	0.4179 (5)
C2A1	0.6420 (5)	0.2983 (4)	0.1465 (5)
C2A2	0.7196 (7)	0.2622 (3)	0.2020 (5)
C2A3	0.8337 (6)	0.2770 (4)	0.2086 (5)
C2A4	0.8702 (5)	0.3280 (5)	0.1597 (6)
C2A5	0.7927 (8)	0.3641 (4)	0.1042 (6)
C2A6	0.6786 (7)	0.3493 (4)	0.0976 (5)
C2B1	0.4844 (7)	0.1938 (3)	0.1218 (5)
C2B2	0.5412 (6)	0.1694 (4)	0.0559 (5)
C2B3	0.5285 (7)	0.1041 (5)	0.0310 (5)
C2B4	0.4589 (8)	0.0632 (3)	0.0721 (6)
C2B5	0.4021 (7)	0.0877 (4)	0.1380 (6)
C2B6	0.4149 (7)	0.1530 (4)	0.1629 (5)
CP11	0.1177 (6)	0.3869 (4)	-0.0030 (4)
CP12	0.1273 (6)	0.4446 (4)	-0.0492 (6)
CP13	0.0407 (8)	0.4638 (4)	-0.1131 (6)
CP14	-0.0554 (6)	0.4253 (4)	-0.1308 (5)
CP15	-0.0649 (6)	0.3676 (4)	-0.0845 (6)
CP16	0.0216 (7)	0.3484 (3)	-0.0206 (5)
CP21	0.1859 (6)	0.2604 (3)	0.1580 (5)
CP22	0.1525 (8)	0.2094 (4)	0.1006 (4)
CP23	0.1080 (8)	0.1524 (4)	0.1313 (6)
CP24	0.0971 (7)	0.1462 (4)	0.2194 (7)
CP25	0.1306 (8)	0.1971 (5)	0.2768 (4)
CP26	0.1750 (7)	0.2542 (4)	0.2462 (5)
H1A2	0.6390	0.3596	0.3808
H1A3	0.8177	0.4112	0.3944
H1A4	0.8482	0.5011	0.3032
H1A5	0.7000	0.5393	0.1985
H1A6	0.5213	0.4876	0.1849

TABLE B-2. (CONT'D)

H1B2	0.3832	0.2806	0.4032
H1B3	0.3261	0.2904	0.5438
H1B4	0.3055	0.3955	0.6051
H1B5	0.3420	0.4908	0.5257
H1B6	0.3990	0.4810	0.3851
H2A2	0.6938	0.2262	0.2365
H2A3	0.8884	0.2515	0.2478
H2A4	0.9507	0.3384	0.1644
H2A5	0.8185	0.4000	0.0697
H2A6	0.6239	0.3748	0.0585
H2B2	0.5903	0.1982	0.0269
H2B3	0.5685	0.0869	-0.0155
H2B4	0.4499	0.0172	0.0545
H2B5	0.3531	0.0588	0.1670
H2B6	0.3748	0.1702	0.2094
HP12	0.1950	0.4717	-0.0368
HP13	0.0474	0.5044	-0.1458
HP14	-0.1164	0.4388	-0.1758
HP15	-0.1326	0.3404	-0.0969
HP16	0.0149	0.3077	0.0120
HP22	0.1602	0.2138	0.0385
HP23	0.0844	0.1165	0.0909
HP24	0.0658	0.1059	0.2411
HP25	0.1228	0.1927	0.3389
HP26	0.1986	0.2901	0.2866
H121	0.5347	0.2818	0.2936
H122	0.4047	0.2643	0.2657

- ^a The estimated standard deviations are right justified to the least significant digits of the fractional co-ordinates. The hydrogen atom co-ordinates were calculated using a C-H bond distance of 0.98Å.
- ^b See Figure IV-C-1, page 152 in the text for a description of the numbering scheme used.

TABLE B-3
FINAL THERMAL PARAMETERS^a ($\times 10^3$) WITH ESTIMATED STANDARD DEVIATIONS^b
FOR N-BIS(DIPHENYLPHOSPHINO)METHANE-*n*-DIPHENYLACETYLENE-TETRACARBONYLDICOBALT(0)^c

ATOM NAME	B or β_{11}	β_{22}	β_{33}	β_{12}	β_{13}	β_{23}
Co1	61.0(13)	17.8(4)	42.4(8)	3.3(6)	-3.2(8)	0.6(5)
Co2	71.2(15)	25.1(5)	35.6(8)	4.9(6)	-2.9(8)	0.0(5)
P1	60.9(25)	17.4(8)	33.0(14)	2.9(11)	-0.2(16)	-2.3(9)
P2	65.1(26)	19.1(9)	35.3(15)	5.0(12)	1.7(16)	-4.6(9)
Cl2	82(10)	13(3)	38(6)	12(4)	8(6)	0(3)
CA1	53(9)	22(3)	46(6)	-8(4)	0(6)	5(4)
CA2	66(10)	19(3)	35(6)	2(4)	-10(6)	2(4)
CCOA	82(12)	22(4)	49(7)	-10(5)	-8(8)	3(4)
OCOA	101(9)	43(3)	80(6)	12(4)	33(6)	-3(4)
CCOB	55(10)	26(4)	64(8)	8(5)	-12(7)	6(5)
OCOB	113(10)	23(3)	113(7)	5(4)	5(6)	17(4)
CCOC	117(15)	43(5)	52(8)	1(7)	3(9)	14(5)
OCOC	167(13)	72(5)	114(9)	7(6)	22(9)	51(6)

TABLE B-3 (CONT'D)

CCOD	116(14)	39(5)	50(8)	-8(6)	-18(8)	-12(5)
OCOD	218(15)	69(5)	76(7)	4(7)	-19(8)	-37(5)
CLA1	3.81(24)	C2A1	4.05(24)	CP11	3.98(24)	
CLA2	5.20(28)	C2A2	5.22(28)	CP12	6.98(35)	
CLA3	5.75(30)	C2A3	6.38(32)	CP13	7.47(37)	
CLA4	5.93(31)	C2A4	7.10(36)	CP14	6.20(32)	
CLA5	6.90(35)	C2A5	8.27(40)	CP15	6.87(34)	
CLA6	4.61(26)	C2A6	6.62(34)	CP16	5.55(29)	
CLB1	3.45(22)	C2B1	4.09(24)	CP21	4.35(25)	
CLB2	4.92(27)	C2B2	6.47(33)	CP22	6.30(33)	
CLB3	6.90(34)	C2B3	8.39(40)	CP23	8.76(43)	
CLB4	6.61(33)	C2B4	7.15(36)	CP24	7.93(38)	
CLB5	6.49(33)	C2B5	7.41(36)	CP25	7.27(36)	
CLB6	5.36(28)	C2B6	6.21(32)	CP26	5.58(29)	

^a These are applied in the expression $\exp[-(h^2\beta_{11} + k^2\beta_{22} + l^2\beta_{33} + 2h^2\beta_{12} + 2kl\beta_{13} + 2kl\beta_{21})]$.

^b Estimated standard deviations are right justified to the least significant digits of the thermal parameter ($\times 10^4$).

^c See Figure IV-C-1, page 152 in the text for a description of the numbering used.

TABLE B-4
EQUATIONS OF PLANES OF THE RIGID PHENYL RINGS IN CO₂(CO)₄(PhCCPh) (Ph₂PCH₂PPh₂)^a
PLANE CONTAINING:

EQUATION					
C1A1	C1A2	C1A3	C1A4	C1A5	C1A
C1B1	C1B2	C1B3	C1B4	C1B5	C1B6
C2A1	C2A2	C2A3	C2A4	C2A5	C2A6
C2B1	C2B2	C2B3	C2B4	C2B5	C2B6
CP11	CP12	CP13	CP14	CP15	CP16
CP21	CP22	CP23	CP24	CP25	CP26
$-0.3812X + 0.6294Y + 0.6771Z - 5.9471 = 0$ $0.9108X - 0.0225Y + 0.4122Z - 5.8469 = 0$ $-0.1984X + 0.6380Y + 0.7441Z - 4.0881 = 0$ $0.6911X - 0.2471Y + 0.6792Z - 4.1266 = 0$ $-0.5226X + 0.5056Y + 0.6864Z - 3.2221 = 0$ $0.9039X - 0.3919Y + 0.1714Z - 0.0534 = 0$					

^a These are the normal equations of the orthogonalized planes. The orthogonalized co-ordinates (X_O, Y_O, Z_O) are obtained from the fractional co-ordinates (X_f, Y_f, Z_f) using:

$$\begin{aligned} X_O &= 11.974X_f - 2.0361Z_f \\ Y_O &= 20.412Y_f \\ Z_O &= 15.312Z_f \end{aligned}$$

APPENDIX C

TABLE C-1: The observed and calculated structure factors for di- μ -bis(diphenylarsino)methane- μ -diphenylacetylene-dicarbonyldicobalt.

TABLE C-2: Final positional parameters with estimated standard deviations for di- μ -bis(diphenylarsino)methane- μ -diphenylacetylene-dicarbonyldicobalt.

TABLE C-3: Final thermal parameters ($\times 10^4$) with estimated standard deviations for di- μ -bis(diphenylarsino)-methane- μ -diphenylacetylene-dicarbonyldicobalt.

TABLE C-4: Equations of planes of the rigid rings in $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_2(\text{PhCCPh})(\text{Ph}_2\text{AsCH}_2\text{AsPh}_2)_2$.

TABLE C-1

K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL
2	10	277	-223	2	10	277	-223	2	10	277	-223	2	10	277	-223	2	10	277	-223
2	11	179	-221	2	11	179	-221	2	11	179	-221	2	11	179	-221	2	11	179	-221
2	12	231	246	2	12	231	246	2	12	231	246	2	12	231	246	2	12	231	246
3	-11	370	-372	3	-11	370	-372	3	-11	370	-372	3	-11	370	-372	3	-11	370	-372
3	-10	394	131	3	-10	394	131	3	-10	394	131	3	-10	394	131	3	-10	394	131
3	-9	247	-198	3	-9	247	-198	3	-9	247	-198	3	-9	247	-198	3	-9	247	-198
3	-8	615	636	3	-8	615	636	3	-8	615	636	3	-8	615	636	3	-8	615	636
3	-7	572	-590	3	-7	572	-590	3	-7	572	-590	3	-7	572	-590	3	-7	572	-590
3	-6	674	-604	3	-6	674	-604	3	-6	674	-604	3	-6	674	-604	3	-6	674	-604
3	-5	1424	1416	3	-5	1424	1416	3	-5	1424	1416	3	-5	1424	1416	3	-5	1424	1416
3	-4	906	-904	3	-4	906	-904	3	-4	906	-904	3	-4	906	-904	3	-4	906	-904
3	-3	523	-552	3	-3	523	-552	3	-3	523	-552	3	-3	523	-552	3	-3	523	-552
3	-2	244	236	3	-2	244	236	3	-2	244	236	3	-2	244	236	3	-2	244	236
3	-1	785	-827	3	-1	785	-827	3	-1	785	-827	3	-1	785	-827	3	-1	785	-827
3	0	591	642	3	0	591	642	3	0	591	642	3	0	591	642	3	0	591	642
3	1	1500	-1601	3	1	1500	-1601	3	1	1500	-1601	3	1	1500	-1601	3	1	1500	-1601
3	2	156	-181	3	2	156	-181	3	2	156	-181	3	2	156	-181	3	2	156	-181
3	3	645	-698	3	3	645	-698	3	3	645	-698	3	3	645	-698	3	3	645	-698
3	4	561	598	3	4	561	598	3	4	561	598	3	4	561	598	3	4	561	598
3	5	805	809	3	5	805	809	3	5	805	809	3	5	805	809	3	5	805	809
3	6	965	-1043	3	6	965	-1043	3	6	965	-1043	3	6	965	-1043	3	6	965	-1043
3	7	677	656	3	7	677	656	3	7	677	656	3	7	677	656	3	7	677	656
3	8	318	-499	3	8	318	-499	3	8	318	-499	3	8	318	-499	3	8	318	-499
3	9	270	304	3	9	270	304	3	9	270	304	3	9	270	304	3	9	270	304
3	10	290	-250	3	10	290	-250	3	10	290	-250	3	10	290	-250	3	10	290	-250
3	11	237	420	3	11	237	420	3	11	237	420	3	11	237	420	3	11	237	420
3	12	238	-221	3	12	238	-221	3	12	238	-221	3	12	238	-221	3	12	238	-221
4	-10	238	-221	4	-10	238	-221	4	-10	238	-221	4	-10	238	-221	4	-10	238	-221
4	-9	441	-562	4	-9	441	-562	4	-9	441	-562	4	-9	441	-562	4	-9	441	-562
4	-8	691	746	4	-8	691	746	4	-8	691	746	4	-8	691	746	4	-8	691	746
4	-7	223	277	4	-7	223	277	4	-7	223	277	4	-7	223	277	4	-7	223	277
4	-6	2025	-2142	4	-6	2025	-2142	4	-6	2025	-2142	4	-6	2025	-2142	4	-6	2025	-2142
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4	-1	180	-23	4	-1	180	-23	4	-1	180	-23	4	-1	180	-23	4	-1	180	-23
4	0	814	822	4	0	814	822	4	0	814	822	4	0	814	822	4	0	814	822
4	1	144	-146	4	1	144	-146	4	1	144	-146	4	1	144	-146	4	1	144	-146
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4	4	521	548	4	4	521	548	4	4	521	548	4	4	521	548	4	4	521	548
4	5	330	375	4	5	330	375	4	5	330	375	4	5	330	375	4	5	330	375
4	6	547	-552	4	6	547	-552	4	6	547	-552	4	6	547	-552	4	6	547	-552
4	7	495	404	4	7	495	404	4	7	495	404	4	7	495	404	4	7	495	404
4	8	413	-416	4	8	413	-416	4	8	413	-416	4	8	413	-416	4	8	413	-416
4	9	112	-112	4	9	112	-112	4	9	112	-112	4	9	112	-112	4	9	112	-112
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4	12	484	-461	4	12	484	-461	4	12	484	-461	4	12	484	-461	4	12	484	-461
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2	2	359	-320	-10	-7	396	391	-5	-4	337	410	-1	-1	249	-290	2	2	327	320	-1	-1	282	-318
2	2	360	173	-10	-7	396	391	-5	-4	341	-395	-1	-1	266	276	2	2	309	-367	-1	-1		
2	2	361	-308	-10	-7	396	391	-5	-4	296	-319	-1	-1	284	281	2	2	175	141	-1	-1		
2	2	362	63	-10	-7	396	391	-5	-4	341	374	-1	-1	249	-307	2	2	474	-635	-1	-1		
2	2	363	368	-10	-7	396	391	-5	-4	541	312	-1	-1	270	315	2	2	209	331	-1	-1		
2	2	364	-478	-10	-7	396	391	-5	-4	659	-659	-1	-1	233	291	2	2	350	-421	-1	-1		
2	2	365	428	-10	-7	396	391	-5	-4	362	341	-1	-1	261	287	2	2	249	366	-1	-1		
2	2	366	-223	-10	-7	396	391	-5	-4	172	-244	-1	-1	415	-463	2	2	293	399	-1	-1		
2	2	367	-278	-10	-7	396	391	-5	-4	364	374	-1	-1	367	433	2	2	230	267	-1	-1		
2	2	368	264	-10	-7	396	391	-5	-4	389	-372	-1	-1	328	-380	2	2			-1	-1		

TABLE C-2

FINAL POSITIONAL PARAMETERS WITH ESTIMATED STANDARD DEVIATIONS^a
FOR DI- μ -BIS (DIPHENYLARSINO)METHANE- μ -DIPHENYLACETYLENE-
DICARBONYLDICOBALT (0)^b

ATOM NAME	X	Y	Z
Co1	0.31578 (17)	0.27155 (15)	0.46306 (20)
Co2	0.14594 (17)	0.19851 (15)	0.38388 (20)
As1	0.30253 (14)	0.37498 (12)	0.30865 (17)
As2	0.42387 (13)	0.17762 (12)	0.47964 (16)
As3	0.08522 (14)	0.28668 (12)	0.21369 (16)
As4	0.20748 (13)	0.10286 (12)	0.33533 (16)
Cl3	0.1956 (13)	0.3564 (11)	0.1695 (14)
C24	0.3502 (11)	0.0776 (10)	0.4368 (13)
CA1	0.1891 (13)	0.2602 (11)	0.4926 (15)
CA2	0.2363 (13)	0.1893 (13)	0.5361 (14)
CCO1	0.4017 (12)	0.3201 (10)	0.5566 (15)
OCO1	0.4556 (10)	0.3572 (8)	0.6184 (12)
CCO2	0.0260 (12)	0.1531 (10)	0.3909 (14)
OCO2	-0.0486 (9)	0.1292 (8)	0.4039 (12)
ClA1	0.4159 (8)	0.4193 (7)	0.2565 (11)
ClA2	0.4955 (11)	0.4643 (8)	0.3175 (9)
ClA3	0.5815 (8)	0.4910 (7)	0.2891 (12)
ClA4	0.5880 (9)	0.4728 (8)	0.1997 (13)
ClA5	0.5086 (12)	0.4278 (9)	0.1387 (10)
ClA6	0.4224 (9)	0.4010 (7)	0.1671 (10)
ClB1	0.2661 (9)	0.4800 (7)	0.3092 (13)
ClB2	0.2528 (10)	0.5456 (10)	0.2203 (9)
ClB3	0.2222 (10)	0.6171 (8)	0.2220 (10)
ClB4	0.2047 (10)	0.6230 (7)	0.3125 (14)
ClB5	0.2180 (10)	0.5574 (10)	0.4013 (10)
ClB6	0.2486 (9)	0.4858 (8)	0.3997 (8)

TABLE C-2 (CONT'D)

C2A1	0.5336 (8)	0.1997 (9)	0.4190 (10)
C2A2	0.5615 (11)	0.1421 (6)	0.3841 (11)
C2A3	0.6462 (12)	0.1580 (8)	0.3525 (11)
C2A4	0.7031 (8)	0.2316 (10)	0.3558 (11)
C2A5	0.6752 (10)	0.2892 (7)	0.3907 (11)
C2A6	0.5905 (10)	0.2733 (7)	0.4223 (10)
C2B1	0.5115 (8)	0.1312 (8)	0.6311 (7)
C2B2	0.4990 (8)	0.0512 (7)	0.6842 (10)
C2B3	0.5644 (10)	0.0220 (6)	0.7895 (10)
C2B4	0.6422 (9)	0.0728 (9)	0.8417 (8)
C2B5	0.6547 (8)	0.1529 (8)	0.7885 (11)
C2B6	0.5893 (10)	0.1821 (5)	0.6832 (11)
C3A1	0.0170 (8)	0.2372 (7)	0.0905 (9)
C3A2	0.0345 (8)	0.2653 (6)	-0.0068 (11)
C3A3	-0.0128 (10)	0.2248 (8)	-0.0893 (8)
C3A4	-0.0952 (8)	0.1283 (6)	0.0228 (12)
C3A5	-0.0777 (9)	0.1564 (8)	-0.0745 (10)
C3A6	-0.0479 (9)	0.1688 (8)	0.1053 (8)
C3B1	-0.0186 (10)	0.3647 (9)	0.1761 (10)
C3B2	0.0062 (9)	0.4474 (10)	0.1533 (12)
C3B3	-0.0663 (14)	0.5008 (6)	0.1306 (13)
C3B4	-0.1636 (12)	0.4716 (10)	0.1307 (12)
C3B5	-0.1885 (8)	0.3890 (12)	0.1535 (12)
C3B6	-0.1160 (12)	0.3355 (7)	0.1762 (12)
C4A1	0.2322 (10)	0.1247 (8)	0.1995 (8)
C4A2	0.3091 (8)	0.1812 (7)	0.1805 (9)
C4A3	0.3237 (8)	0.1980 (7)	0.0819 (12)
C4A4	0.2613 (11)	0.1582 (8)	0.0023 (8)
C4A5	0.1844 (9)	0.1017 (8)	0.0213 (9)
C4A6	0.1698 (8)	0.0849 (6)	0.1199 (11)
C4B1	0.1454 (10)	-0.0068 (6)	0.3423 (10)
C4B2	0.0425 (9)	-0.0229 (7)	0.3285 (10)
C4B3	-0.0019 (7)	-0.1010 (9)	0.3298 (10)

TABLE C-2 (CONT'D)

C4B4	0.0566 (11)	-0.1629 (6)	0.3450 (11)
C4B5	0.1595 (10)	-0.1468 (7)	0.3587 (10)
C4B6	0.2039 (7)	-0.0688 (8)	0.3574 (10)
CP11	0.1431 (10)	0.3062 (7)	0.5375 (11)
CP12	0.1904 (7)	0.3177 (8)	0.6420 (10)
CP13	0.1457 (11)	0.3627 (9)	0.6799 (8)
CP14	0.0536 (11)	0.3964 (7)	0.6131 (13)
CP15	0.0063 (8)	0.3849 (8)	0.5086 (11)
CP16	0.0510 (10)	0.3399 (8)	0.4707 (8)
CP21	0.2601 (9)	0.1228 (6)	0.6374 (8)
CP22	0.2152 (7)	0.0450 (8)	0.6375 (8)
CP23	0.2392 (9)	-0.0148 (5)	0.7334 (11)
CP24	0.3081 (9)	0.0032 (7)	0.8292 (8)
CP25	0.3531 (8)	0.0810 (8)	0.8291 (8)
CP26	0.3291 (8)	0.1408 (6)	0.7332 (11)
H1A2	0.4909	0.4771	0.3806
H1A3	0.6376	0.5227	0.3321
H1A4	0.6487	0.4916	0.1796
H1A5	0.5131	0.4150	0.0756
H1A6	0.3664	0.3693	0.1241
H1B2	0.2651	0.5415	0.1565
H1B3	0.2128	0.6094	0.1594
H1B4	0.1831	0.6734	0.3137
H1B5	0.2057	0.5615	0.4652
H1B6	0.2580	0.4396	0.4623
H2A2	0.5214	0.0903	0.3818
H2A3	0.6659	0.1174	0.3279
H2A4	0.7628	0.2428	0.3336
H2A5	0.7153	0.3411	0.3931
H2A6	0.5708	0.3139	0.4469
H2B2	0.4441	0.0153	0.6475
H2B3	0.5556	-0.0345	0.8270

TABLE C-2 (CONT'D)

H2B4	0.6883	0.0522	0.9159
H2B5	0.7096	0.1887	0.8253
H2B6	0.5981	0.2385	0.6457
H3A2	0.0802	0.3135	-0.0173
H3A3	-0.0005	0.2446	-0.1579
H3A4	-0.1110	0.1279	-0.1326
H3A5	-0.1409	0.0801	0.0333
H3A6	-0.0602	0.1490	0.1740
H3B2	0.0749	0.4680	0.1532
H3B3	-0.0488	0.5591	0.1146
H3B4	-0.2148	0.5093	0.1147
H3B5	-0.2571	0.3684	0.1536
H3B6	-0.1335	0.2772	0.1923
H4A2	0.3531	0.2093	0.2366
H4A3	0.3779	0.2379	0.0685
H4A4	0.2716	0.1701	-0.0672
H4A5	0.1404	0.0736	-0.0348
H4A6	0.1156	0.0450	0.1333
H4B2	0.0012	0.0208	0.3178
H4B3	-0.0745	-0.1123	0.3210
H4B4	0.0253	-0.2180	0.3459
H4B5	0.2008	-0.1905	0.3694
H4B6	0.2765	-0.0574	0.3671
HP12	0.2553	0.2940	0.6891
HP13	0.1790	0.3708	0.7536
HP14	0.0221	0.4282	0.6398
HP15	-0.0586	0.4087	0.4615
HP16	0.0177	0.3318	0.3970
HP22	0.1665	0.0323	0.5699
HP23	0.2075	-0.0696	0.7334
HP24	0.3251	-0.0390	0.8968
HP25	0.4017	0.0937	0.8966
HP26	0.3608	0.1957	0.7332

TABLE C-2. (CONT'D)

H131	0.2230	0.3268	0.1414
H132	0.1697	0.14054	0.1278
H241	0.3833	0.0627	0.3984
H242	0.3457	0.0406	0.4995
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C11	0.5712 (7)	0.6864 (6)	0.1136 (7)
CS1	0.4374 (21)	0.6635 (23)	0.0866 (31)
CS2	0.3852 (41)	0.7326 (20)	0.0720 (27)
C12	0.3727 (10)	0.7871 (7)	-0.0665 (11)

- ^a The estimated standard deviations are right justified to the least significant digits of the fractional co-ordinates. The hydrogen atom co-ordinates were calculated using a C-H bond distance of 0.98Å.
- ^b See Figure IV-C-4, page 167 in the text for a description of the numbering scheme used.

TABLE C-3
 FINAL THERMAL PARAMETERS^a ($\times 10^4$) WITH ESTIMATED STANDARD DEVIATIONS^b
 FOR DI- μ -BIS(DIPHENYLARSINO)METHANE- μ -DIPHENYLACETYLENE-DICARBONYLDICOBALT (0)^c

ATOM NAME	B or β_{11}	β_{22}	β_{33}	β_{12}	β_{13}	β_{23}
Co1	31.6(17)	29.0(13)	62.6(25)	7.5(12)	5.7(17)	-15.6(15)
Co2	36.0(18)	27.5(13)	54.7(24)	7.5(12)	4.6(16)	-14.6(14)
As1	42.9(15)	27.5(10)	63.9(20)	5.0(10)	14.2(14)	-10.5(12)
As2	33.0(14)	29.1(10)	60.9(19)	10.8(9)	3.9(13)	-16.1(11)
As3	43.7(15)	30.5(11)	55.6(20)	13.3(10)	2.3(14)	-10.5(12)
As4	35.3(14)	27.1(10)	55.1(19)	7.6(10)	2.8(13)	-12.9(11)
Cl1	53(15)	34(10)	63(18)	-1(10)	19(13)	-15(11)
C24	33(12)	45(10)	55(16)	30(9)	-30(11)	-15(10)
Ca1	59(15)	22(9)	66(19)	7(9)	28(14)	-23(11)
Ca2	53(16)	64(13)	37(17)	19(11)	10(13)	-18(12)
CoO1	62(15)	40(9)	102(20)	12(9)	39(14)	-34(11)
CoO1	88(12)	52(8)	135(17)	-4(8)	16(11)	-46(10)
CoO2	61(14)	31(9)	62(18)	-5(9)	19(13)	-38(11)
CoO2	53(10)	67(9)	159(18)	-12(7)	58(11)	-22(10)

TABLE C-3 (CONT'D)

C1A1	3.75(44)	C2B1	3.45(42)	C4A1	3.10(40)
C1A2	5.21(51)	C2B2	3.50(42)	C4A2	4.66(48)
C1A3	5.48(52)	C2B3	4.74(40)	C4A3	4.80(49)
C1A4	7.11(62)	C2B4	5.22(51)	C4A4	5.36(52)
C1A5	7.53(64)	C2B5	5.66(54)	C4A5	6.00(55)
C1A6	5.96(55)	C2B6	5.52(53)	C4A6	4.40(47)
C1B1	4.59(48)	C3A1	3.50(42)	C4B1	3.95(44)
C1B2	5.58(53)	C3A2	4.30(46)	C4B2	4.27(47)
C1B3	6.37(58)	C3A3	5.12(51)	C4B3	6.34(57)
C1B4	7.29(63)	C3A4	4.71(48)	C4B4	5.70(54)
C1B5	6.03(56)	C3A5	5.46(52)	C4B5	5.27(52)
C1B6	5.35(52)	C3A6	4.82(49)	C4B6	4.46(47)
C2A1	3.98(44)	C3B1	3.51(42)	CP11	2.95(40)
C2A2	6.54(59)	C3B2	7.01(62)	CP12	4.92(49)
C2A3	7.58(65)	C3B3	9.52(77)	CP13	6.53(59)
C2A4	6.97(61)	C3B4	8.20(68)	CP14	5.24(52)
C2A5	5.74(54)	C3B5	8.53(72)	CP15	6.23(57)
C2A6	3.85(44)	C3B6	7.11(61)	CP16	5.71(54)
CP21	3.35(42)	CP22	3.20(41)	CP23	3.97(44)
CP24	5.14(50)	CP25	4.60(48)	CP26	3.70(43)

TABLE C-3 (CONT'D)

C21	221(11)	119(11)	148(6)	-11(9)	62(6)	-12(8)
C81	86(26)	180(29)	288(62)	20(23)	96(33)	-18(35)
C82	711(11)	104(22)	423(42)	93(38)	499(62)	3(24)
C12	435(18)	130(9)	362(20)	52(10)	49(15)	18(10)

a These are applied in the expression $\exp\{-(k^2\beta_{11} + k^2\beta_{22} + l^2\beta_{33} + 2kl\beta_{12} + 2kl\beta_{13} + 2kl\beta_{23})\}$.

b Estimated standard deviations are right justified to the least significant digits of the thermal parameter ($\times 10$).

c See Figure IV-C-4, page 167 in the text for a description of the numbering scheme used. B values are quoted for the ring carbon atoms.

TABLE C-4
EQUATIONS OF PLANES OF THE RIGID PHENYL RINGS IN $\text{Co}_2(\text{CO})_2(\text{PhCCPh})(\text{Ph}_2\text{AsCH}_2\text{AsPh}_2)_2$ ^a

PLANE CONTAINING:						EQUATION
C1A1	C1A2	C1A3	C1A4	C1A5	C1A6	$+0.2380X - 0.7748Y + 0.5857Z + 2.6642 - 0$
C1B1	C1B2	C1B3	C1B4	C1B5	C1B6	$+0.8737X + 0.2834Y + 0.3954Z - 6.0179 - 0$
C2A1	C2A2	C2A3	C2A4	C2A5	C2A6	$+0.2664X - 0.2142Y + 0.9398Z - 5.5130 - 0$
C2B1	C2B2	C2B3	C2B4	C2B5	C2B6	$-0.7928X + 0.4939Y + 0.3570Z - 1.1489 - 0$
C3A1	C3A2	C3A3	C3A4	C3A5	C3A6	$+0.6898X - 0.6242Y + 0.3668Z + 2.4756 - 0$
C3B1	C3B2	C3B3	C3B4	C3B5	C3B6	$-0.0445X + 0.2286Y + 0.9725Z - 3.7699 - 0$
C4A1	C4A2	C4A3	C4A4	C4A5	C4A6	$+0.5410X - 0.7538Y + 0.3731Z - 0.3864 - 0$
C4B1	C4B2	C4B3	C4B4	C4B5	C4B6	$-0.1268X + 0.0775Y + 0.9889Z - 4.1836 - 0$

^a These are the normal equations of the orthogonalized planes. The orthogonalized co-ordinates (X_O, Y_O, Z_O) are obtained from the fractional co-ordinates (X_f, Y_f, Z_f) using:

$$\begin{aligned} X_O &= 14.001X_f - 4.6544Z_f \\ Y_O &= 12.413X_f + 17.321Y_f + 3.8718Z_f \\ Z_O &= 12.330Z_f \end{aligned}$$

APPENDIX D

TABLE D-1: The observed and calculated structure factors for xyleneenneacarbonyltetracobalt.

TABLE D-2: Final positional parameters with estimated standard deviations for xyleneenneacarbonyltetracobalt.

TABLE D-3: Final thermal parameters ($\times 10^4$) with estimated standard deviations for xyleneenneacarbonyltetracobalt.

TABLE D-1

K	L	FOES	FCAL	K	L	FOES	FCAL	K	L	FOES	FCAL	K	L	FOES	FCAL	K	L	FOES	FCAL
1	1	640	-705	3	13	309	330	6	13	258	277	6	13	258	277	3	3	996	947
1	2	3112	3139	3	14	119	143	6	17	221	178	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
1	3	967	976	3	15	346	-357	7	1	900	-504	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
1	4	478	478	3	16	186	-197	7	2	325	344	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
1	5	279	278	3	17	297	-323	7	3	140	116	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
1	6	456	-427	3	18	146	186	7	4	643	659	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
1	7	1892	-1131	3	19	285	252	7	7	875	873	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
1	8	1119	-1137	3	20	1362	1322	7	8	504	-512	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
1	9	314	314	3	1	711	-696	7	9	386	-253	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
1	10	1055	-1116	3	2	196	-204	7	10	243	-254	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
1	11	417	426	3	3	521	498	7	11	755	-714	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
1	12	999	605	3	4	793	765	7	12	162	170	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
1	13	392	-414	3	5	134	169	7	13	294	-317	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
1	14	518	533	3	6	548	-534	7	14	416	404	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
1	15	476	495	3	7	207	-273	7	15	323	-309	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
1	16	284	317	3	8	228	230	7	16	184	158	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
1	17	129	-149	3	9	141	162	7	17	886	879	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
1	18	320	-292	3	10	214	326	7	18	183	-151	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
2	1	1246	-1076	3	11	128	-157	7	19	193	-167	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
2	2	231	-148	3	12	153	137	7	20	332	-354	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
2	3	347	-267	3	13	137	169	7	21	499	524	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
2	4	874	-843	3	14	147	-169	7	22	682	-529	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
2	5	325	365	3	15	263	342	7	23	280	-294	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
2	6	1037	940	3	16	1032	-1021	7	24	146	145	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
2	7	1247	1212	3	17	802	-772	7	25	149	-175	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
2	8	348	-333	3	18	233	259	7	26	356	-414	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
2	9	1259	-1272	3	19	172	179	7	27	445	472	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
2	10	555	562	3	20	206	-249	7	28	190	235	3	3	996	947	3	3	996	947
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5	574	1	9	272	-262	3	8	317	-312	5	-9	213	-217	2	-4	159	-96
5	592	1	8	172	159	3	5	159	-111	5	-6	335	-326	2	-2	237	-230
5	610	1	7	162	195	3	4	159	-111	5	-4	227	-228	2	0	200	-161
5	628	1	6	285	266	3	3	582	-600	5	-3	227	-228	2	2	366	-336
5	646	1	5	224	241	3	2	236	-231	5	-2	162	-162	2	2	288	-270
5	664	1	4	463	488	3	1	216	-213	5	-1	153	-170	2	7	278	-239
5	682	1	3	483	-513	3	0	195	-177	5	0	268	-268	2	0	353	-350
5	700	1	2	428	-431	3	0	399	-402	5	1	324	-272	2	-12	157	-149
5	718	1	1	364	-378	3	1	305	-283	5	5	179	-183	2	-10	283	-291
5	736	1	1	181	188	3	4	300	-214	5	5	246	-249	2	-9	383	-393
5	754	1	1	175	156	3	6	449	-408	5	-1	164	-133	2	-6	284	-274
5	772	1	1	386	345	3	8	440	-423	5	0	146	-159	2	-5	176	-182
5	790	1	1	157	139	3	10	173	-154	5	1	146	-159	2	-2	169	-169
5	808	1	1	215	-187	3	13	384	-365	5	9	9	9	2	-1	244	-228
5	826	1	1	188	-186	3	12	162	-102	5	0	209	-213	2	5	185	-145
5	844	1	1	136	-113	3	11	268	-247	5	-14	567	-590	2	6	196	-147
5	862	1	1	271	265	3	10	253	-244	5	-10	185	-196	2	7	170	-152
5	880	1	1	235	224	3	9	184	-194	5	-6	249	-240	2	7	218	-217
5	898	1	1	283	290	3	8	503	-517	5	-4	249	-240	2	0	169	-100
5	916	1	1	292	282	3	7	235	-243	5	-2	565	-610	2	-7	200	-164
5	934	1	1	282	-249	3	6	213	-199	5	0	631	-631	2	-3	425	-436
5	952	1	1	416	-394	3	5	650	-652	5	2	897	-868	2	-1	259	-269
5	970	1	1	424	-422	3	4	134	-134	5	4	294	-309	2	0	142	-135
5	988	1	1	169	-111	3	3	374	-370	5	6	365	-376	2	1	334	-317
5	1006	1	1	175	-94	3	2	285	-277	5	0	255	-229	2	3	217	-225
5	1024	1	1	214	245	3	1	198	-175	5	-12	408	-373	2	6	154	-125
5	1042	1	1	206	204	3	0	272	-255	5	-11	179	-162	2	-7	172	-162
5	1060	1	1	256	272	3	0	176	-129	5	-9	164	-150	2	-6	208	-201
5	1078	1	1	328	335	3	0	105	-105	5	-6	634	-634	2	-5	218	-218
5	1096	1	1	143	111	3	0	211	-189	5	-6	133	-153	2	-2	178	-153
5	1114	1	1	116	-136	3	0	228	-224	5	-4	243	-206	2	-1	290	-305
5	1132	1	1	119	140	3	0	177	-167	5	-2	330	-328	2	0	164	-146

TABLE D-2
FINAL POSITIONAL PARAMETERS WITH ESTIMATED STANDARD DEVIATIONS^a
FOR XYLENEENNEACARBONYLTETRACOBALT^b

ATOM NAME	X	Y	Z
Co1	0.79997(12)	0.28372(14)	0.31044(6)
Co2	0.89898(12)	0.16564(14)	0.41097(7)
Co3	0.69311(13)	0.07858(13)	0.34877(7)
Co4	0.68542(12)	0.29049(14)	0.41342(7)
C1	0.4764(10)	0.3323(12)	0.4292(7)
C2	0.5408(13)	0.4497(12)	0.4054(7)
C3	0.6633(15)	0.4966(13)	0.4434(8)
C4	0.7220(13)	0.4246(16)	0.4970(7)
C5	0.6569(14)	0.3079(16)	0.5182(7)
C6	0.5392(12)	0.2594(13)	0.4834(6)
C7	0.3448(16)	0.2824(18)	0.3912(8)
C8	0.4804(34)	0.5266(37)	0.3536(17)
C9	0.7155(40)	0.6234(44)	0.4172(20)
C11	0.8843(12)	0.2265(12)	0.2433(6)
O11	0.9392(12)	0.1840(11)	0.2006(5)
C12	0.7606(11)	0.4513(12)	0.2799(5)
O12	0.7380(10)	0.5573(9)	0.2600(5)
CB1	0.9404(12)	0.3395(11)	0.3727(5)
OB1	1.0153(9)	0.4306(9)	0.3890(5)
C21	1.0264(11)	0.0614(12)	0.3838(6)
O21	1.1109(8)	-0.0020(10)	0.3652(5)
C22	0.9734(11)	0.2073(11)	0.4935(6)
O22	1.0177(10)	0.2376(11)	0.5448(5)
CB2	0.7745(9)	0.0363(12)	0.4384(6)
OB2	0.7511(9)	-0.0318(9)	0.4835(4)

TABLE D-2 (CONT'D)

C31	0.7585 (13)	-0.0492 (13)	0.2990 (6)
O31	0.8070 (11)	-0.1251 (9)	0.2658 (5)
C32	0.5391 (14)	0.0022 (11)	0.3612 (6)
O32	0.4416 (9)	-0.0510 (10)	0.3726 (5)
CB3	0.6202 (12)	0.2146 (12)	0.2867 (6)
OB3	0.5229 (9)	0.2451 (10)	0.2534 (5)
H4	0.8081	0.4538	0.5203
H5	0.6955	0.2602	0.5583
H6	0.5002	0.1740	0.4968

^a Estimated standard deviations are right justified to the least significant digits of the fractional co-ordinates.

^b See Figure V-C-1 , page 300 in the text for a description of the numbering scheme used.

TABLE D-3
FINAL THERMAL PARAMETERS^a (x10³) WITH ESTIMATED STANDARD DEVIATIONS^b
FOR XYLENEENNEACARBONYLTETRACOBALT^c

ATOM NAME	B or β_{11}	β_{22}	β_{33}	β_{12}	β_{13}	β_{23}
C01	94.9(14)	66.8(15)	24.8(4)	5.3(14)	10.5(6)	4.0(7)
C02	84.0(14)	75.9(16)	25.2(4)	15.1(13)	5.0(6)	0.6(7)
C03	96.2(15)	63.9(15)	24.2(4)	-1.9(13)	7.9(6)	0.0(7)
C04	89.4(14)	77.1(16)	26.0(4)	14.3(14)	11.4(6)	-6.6(7)
C1	89(12)	122(15)	45(5)	-1(12)	25(6)	-32(7)
C2	132(17)	114(14)	37(5)	49(13)	14(7)	-6(7)
C3	171(20)	93(16)	62(6)	-6(15)	42(9)	-37(8)
C4	142(17)	178(21)	41(17)	44(17)	20(7)	-29(8)
C5	150(18)	179(23)	39(5)	8(18)	46(8)	-17(9)
C6	135(16)	156(18)	28(4)	48(14)	10(6)	-12(7)
C7	102(23)	242(26)	65(6)	1(23)	-4(10)	-27(11)
C11	170(17)	97(14)	39(4)	-3(13)	36(7)	20(7)
O11	360(20)	186(16)	60(4)	-21(15)	95(8)	-22(7)
C12	138(14)	99(14)	29(3)	10(12)	6(6)	16(6)
O12	226(14)	135(11)	60(4)	33(11)	29(6)	37(6)

TABLE D-3 (CONT'D)

CB1	165(16)	82(12)	34(4)	9(13)	8(6)	19(6)
OB1	186(13)	137(12)	67(4)	-67(12)	-23(6)	18(6)
C21	79(12)	121(16)	35(4)	-16(12)	8(6)	8(7)
O21	127(11)	191(15)	52(4)	32(11)	18(5)	0(6)
C22	141(15)	102(13)	40(4)	10(12)	-11(7)	0(7)
O22	247(15)	218(17)	44(3)	59(14)	-38(6)	-30(6)
CB2	69(10)	105(15)	39(4)	13(10)	8(5)	6(7)
OB2	182(12)	155(13)	35(3)	-9(11)	17(5)	29(5)
C31	169(18)	118(16)	25(4)	7(14)	12(6)	-8(6)
O31	274(16)	157(12)	57(4)	31(12)	25(6)	-47(6)
C32	157(18)	81(12)	31(4)	5(13)	11(6)	5(5)
O32	152(11)	185(14)	55(4)	-58(11)	29(5)	9(6)
CB3	142(16)	83(13)	35(4)	-10(14)	15(4)	8(6)
OB3	164(11)	207(15)	54(4)	-40(11)	-37(16)	51(6)
C8	968.00(129.00)					
C9	119.00(148.00)					

a These are applied in the expression $\exp\{-(h^2\beta_{11} + k^2\beta_{22} + l^2\beta_{33} + 2hk\beta_{12} + 2hl\beta_{13} + 2kl\beta_{23})\}$.

b Estimated standard deviations are right justified to the least significant digits of the thermal parameter ($\times 10^4$).

c See Figure V-C-1, page 300 in the text for a description of the numbering used.

APPENDIX E

TABLE E-1: The observed and calculated structure factors for benzeneenneacarbonyltetracobalt.

TABLE E-2: Final positional parameters with estimated standard deviations for benzeneenneacarbonyltetracobalt.

TABLE E-3: Final thermal parameters ($\times 10^3$) with estimated standard deviations for benzeneenneacarbonyltetracobalt.

K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL	K	L	FOBS	FCAL
0	3	259	271	-2	1	236	258	-2	1	221	221	-2	1	221	221	-2	1	221	221
0	2	126	116	-2	2	469	469	-2	2	279	260	-2	2	279	260	-2	2	279	260
0	1	347	352	-2	3	215	207	-2	3	7		-2	3	7		-2	3	7	
0	0	024	027	-2	4	431	423	-2	4			-2	4			-2	4		
0	0	164	141	-2	5	415	406	-2	5			-2	5			-2	5		
0	0	187	182	-2	6	240	232	-2	6			-2	6			-2	6		
0	0	422	404	-2	7	250	255	-2	7			-2	7			-2	7		
0	0	258	231	-2	8	371	373	-2	8			-2	8			-2	8		
0	0			-2	9	763	764	-2	9			-2	9			-2	9		
0	0			-2	10	679	686	-2	10			-2	10			-2	10		
0	0			-2	11	585	519	-2	11			-2	11			-2	11		
0	0			-2	12	125	126	-2	12			-2	12			-2	12		
0	0			-2	13	223	222	-2	13			-2	13			-2	13		
0	0			-2	14	285	195	-2	14			-2	14			-2	14		
0	0			-2	15	94	79	-2	15			-2	15			-2	15		
0	0			-2	16	181	169	-2	16			-2	16			-2	16		
0	0			-2	17	173	178	-2	17			-2	17			-2	17		
0	0			-2	18	256	257	-2	18			-2	18			-2	18		
0	0			-2	19	242	235	-2	19			-2	19			-2	19		
0	0			-2	20	430	431	-2	20			-2	20			-2	20		
0	0			-2	21	597	614	-2	21			-2	21			-2	21		
0	0			-2	22	647	691	-2	22			-2	22			-2	22		
0	0			-2	23	227	225	-2	23			-2	23			-2	23		
0	0			-2	24	245	233	-2	24			-2	24			-2	24		
0	0			-2	25	243	230	-2	25			-2	25			-2	25		
0	0			-2	26	280	281	-2	26			-2	26			-2	26		
0	0			-2	27	243	235	-2	27			-2	27			-2	27		
0	0			-2	28	351	355	-2	28			-2	28			-2	28		
0	0			-2	29	145	146	-2	29			-2	29			-2	29		
0	0			-2	30	261	271	-2	30			-2	30			-2	30		
0	0			-2	31	320	320	-2	31			-2	31			-2	31		
0	0			-2	32	201	197	-2	32			-2	32			-2	32		
0	0			-2	33	304	307	-2	33			-2	33			-2	33		
0	0			-2	34	303	296	-2	34			-2	34			-2	34		
0	0			-2	35	144	147	-2	35			-2	35			-2	35		
0	0			-2	36	221	219	-2	36			-2	36			-2	36		
0	0			-2	37	221	219	-2	37			-2	37			-2	37		
0	0			-2	38	327	320	-2	38			-2	38			-2	38		
0	0			-2	39	323	315	-2	39			-2	39			-2	39		
0	0			-2	40	342	335	-2	40			-2	40			-2	40		
0	0			-2	41	171	171	-2	41			-2	41			-2	41		
0	0			-2	42	411	397	-2	42			-2	42			-2	42		
0	0			-2	43	426	407	-2	43			-2	43			-2	43		
0	0			-2	44	427	421	-2	44			-2	44			-2	44		
0	0			-2	45	427	421	-2	45			-2	45			-2	45		

TABLE E-2
FINAL POSITIONAL PARAMETERS WITH ESTIMATED STANDARD DEVIATIONS^a
FOR BENZENEENNEACARBONYLTETRACOBALT^b

ATOM NAME	X	Y	Z
Co1	0.30627(11)	0.18002(10)	0.39772(11)
Co4	0.18692(10)	0.18692(10)	0.18692(10)
C1	0.0364(13)	0.2263(10)	0.0444(14)
C2	-0.0213(10)	0.1596(14)	0.1682(14)
C11	0.3949(10)	0.2320(8)	0.5264(9)
O11	0.4494(8)	0.2707(7)	0.6107(7)
C12	0.2750(9)	0.0094(10)	0.4754(10)
O12	0.2536(7)	-0.0958(6)	0.5260(7)
CB1	0.4545(10)	0.1185(9)	0.2615(8)
OB1	0.5342(7)	0.0260(7)	0.2379(6)
H1	-0.0011	0.2975	0.0126
H2	-0.0887	0.1944	0.2136

^a Estimated standard deviations are right justified to the least significant digits of the fractional co-ordinates.

^b See Figure V-C-1 , page 300 in the text for a description of the numbering scheme used.

TABLE E-3
FINAL THERMAL PARAMETERS^a ($\times 10^4$) WITH ESTIMATED STANDARD DEVIATIONS^b
FOR BENZENEENNEACARBONYLTETRACOBALT^c

ATOM NAME	B or β_{11}	β_{22}	β_{33}	β_{12}	β_{13}	β_{23}
Co1	87.6(17)	75.1(17)	69.3(16)	-1.4(12)	-4.6(12)	3.0(12)
Co4	86.3(13)	86.3(13)	86.3(13)	-12.8(12)	-12.8(12)	-12.8(12)
C1	145(20)	148(17)	167(20)	-14(16)	-79(14)	-10(16)
C2	102(15)	171(21)	182(22)	-19(15)	-28(15)	-43(15)
Cl1	133(15)	80(14)	112(15)	13(10)	22(12)	19(11)
Ol1	246(14)	179(12)	159(12)	-36(10)	-84(10)	-27(9)
Cl2	85(12)	110(15)	140(16)	-4(11)	10(10)	-28(12)
Ol2	119(12)	86(10)	224(13)	-31(9)	9(10)	36(9)
CB1	136(15)	104(14)	94(13)	4(11)	26(11)	8(10)
OB1	197(12)	123(11)	148(10)	88(9)	50(8)	16(8)
H1	5.0					
H2	5.0					

^a These are applied in the expression $\exp[-(h^2\beta_{11} + k^2\beta_{22} + l^2\beta_{33} + 2hk\beta_{12} + 2hl\beta_{13} + 2kl\beta_{23})]$.

^b Estimated standard deviations are right justified to the least significant digits of the thermal parameter ($\times 10^4$).

^c See Figure V-C-1, page 300 in the text for a description of the numbering used.

APPENDIX F

TABLE F-1: Attempted reactions of transition metal carbonyls
with $\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CR})_3$, R = H, CH_3 , t-Bu, Ph.

TABLE F-1

ATTEMPTED REACTIONS OF TRANSITION METAL CARBONYLS WITH $\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CR})_3$, R = H, CH_3 , t-Bu, Ph.

Reactant and # moles	Substrate and # moles	Solvent	Temp. °C	Time hours	Remarks
$\text{Cr}(\text{CO})_6$	$1\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CH})_3$	CH_2Cl_2	Room	120	No product
$\text{Mo}(\text{CO})_6$	$2\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CH})_3$	CH_2Cl_2	40	20	No product
$3\text{Mo}(\text{CO})_6$	$1\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CH})_3$	CH_2Cl_2	40	48	Brown intractible solid
$\text{Ru}(\text{CO})_5$	$1\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CH})_3$	hexane	69	18	No product
$\text{Mo}(\text{CO})_6$	$1\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CCH}_3)_3$	hexane	69	72	Brown intractible solid
$\text{Mo}(\text{CO})_6$	$1\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CCH}_3)_3$	CH_2Cl_2	hv	1	No product
$\text{Mo}(\text{CO})_3(\text{CH}_3\text{CN})_3$	$1\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CCH}_3)_3$	Ethanol	78	2	Brown intractible solid
$1\{\text{CpMo}(\text{CO})_3\}_2$	$2\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CCH}_3)_3$	T.H.F.	hv	2	Yellow product- not identified.
$\text{W}(\text{CO})_3(\text{CH}_3\text{CN})_3$	$1\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CCH}_3)_3$	hexane	69	2	Yellow intractible powder.
$\text{Mn}_2(\text{CO})_{10}$	$2\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CH})_3$	hexane	69	3	No product
$\text{Mn}_2(\text{CO})_{10}$	$2\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CCH}_3)_3$	T.H.F.	hv	12	Colourless crystals, not characterized.

$3\text{Fe}(\text{CO})_5$	$1\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CH})_3$	CH_2Cl_2	40	3	Positive pressure CO gas. No product
$3\text{Fe}_2(\text{CO})_9$	$1\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CH})_3$	CH_2Cl_2	40	5	Brown powder
$1\text{Fe}_2(\text{CO})_9$	$2\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CH})_3$	hexane	69	14	Brown powder & care was exercised to exclude oxygen. Product dried for four days. Chemical analysis report: %C = 39.94, 40.00 %H = 2.17, 2.22 %Fe = 8.60, 8.63 %As = 25.60, 25.47
$1\text{Fe}_2(\text{CO})_9$	$1\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CCH}_3)_3$	hexane	69	1	Various fractions
$3\text{Fe}_2(\text{CO})_9$	$1\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CCH}_3)_3$	CH_2Cl_2	40	0, 2	Red plates - a) +Na Δ diglyme/KCl Nothing b) +Na Δ DMSO/ $(\text{CH}_3)_4\text{N}^+\text{I}^-$ Nothing.
$1\text{Fe}_3(\text{CO})_{12}$	$1\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CH})_3$	cyclo- hexane	81	5	Brown powder
$1\text{Fe}_3(\text{CO})_{12}$	$2\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CH})_3$	hexane	69	16	Brown powder- care exercised to exclude oxygen. Dried for 7 days. Chemical analysis: %C = 31.64, 31.75 %H = 1.80, 1.67 %Fe = 19.01, 19.29 %As = 18.22, 18.38
$1\text{Fe}_3(\text{CO})_{12}$	$2\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CH})_3$	hexane	69	38	The same conditions as for the preceding reaction but a different chemical analysis was obtained.

%C - 26.84, 27.02
 %H - 1.96, 2.05
 %Fe - 21.61, 21.67
 %As - 14.42, 14.21

$3Fe_3(CO)_{12}$	$1As(C\equiv CH)_3$	CH_2Cl_2	40	72	Brown powder.
$10Fe_3(CO)_{12}$	$1As(C\equiv CH)_3$	hexane	69	24	Brown powder.
$1Fe_3(CO)_{12}$	$3As(C\equiv CCH_3)_3$	CH_2Cl_2	40	3-72	After 3 hours - yellow globules on sides of flask. Brown powder after 72 hours.
$1Fe_3(CO)_{12}$	$1As(C\equiv CCH_3)_3$	hexane	69	1-18	Gold band on chromatography after 1 hour. Brown powder not isolated.
$3Fe_3(CO)_{12}$	$1As(C\equiv CCH_3)_3$	hexane	Room	12	Nothing
$1Fe_3(CO)_{12}$	$1As(C\equiv C(CH_2CH_2CH_3)_3$	hexane	69	24	Brown powder
$3Fe_3(CO)_{12}$	$1As(C\equiv C(CH_2CH_2CH_3)_3$	hexane	69	24	Brown powder - qualitatively analyzed for As and Fe.
$3Fe_3(CO)_{12}$	$1As(C\equiv CPh)_3$	hexane	69	12	Chromatographed - product decomposed before identified
$CpFe(CO)_2$	$1As(C\equiv CCH_3)_3$	hexane	69	5	Nothing
$2(CpFe(CO)_2)_2$	$1As(C\equiv CCH_3)_3$	CH_2Cl_2	h	14	Some change did occur but product was not isolated.
$1Ru_3(CO)_{12}$	$1As(C\equiv CH)_3$	hexane	Room	5	No product observed
$1Ru_3(CO)_{12}$	$1As(C\equiv CH)_3$	CH_2Cl_2	40	5	Brown powder observed which believed to be oxidation product.

$1Ru_3(CO)_{12}$	$1As(C\equiv CCH_3)_3$	hexane	Room 69	72 4	Nothing observed to form at room temperature but brown decomposition product formed at higher temperature.
$1Co_2(CO)_8$	$2As(C\equiv CCH_3)_3$	cyclo-hexane	Room	60	Red solution. Recovered solid identified as tris(hexacarbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine. Brown powder also present.
$3Co_2(CO)_8$	$1As(C\equiv CCH_3)_3$	cyclo-hexane	Room	2	Reported in this Thesis.
$3Co_2(CO)_8$	$1As(C\equiv CCH_3)_3$	CH_2Cl_2	Room	72	I.R. indicated the product was the analog of tris-(hexacarbonyldicobalt- π -ethynyl)arsine.
$3Co_2(CO)_8$	$1As(C\equiv CCH_3)_3$	hexane	69	15	Chemical analysis: %As - 1.81 %Co - None or trace %C - 47.54 %H - 2.92
$3Co_2(CO)_8$	$1As(C\equiv CCH_3)_3$	hexane	Room	170	Chromatographed - 4 bands A- Red eluted with hexane B- Red-brown band - hexane C- Orange - hexane D- Brown band - CH_2Cl_2
$3Co_2(CO)_8$	$1As(C\equiv C^t-bu)_3$	benzene	80	12	Chromatographed - 2 bands A- Orange eluted with benzene B- Brown-red - benzene

$4\text{Rh}_4(\text{CO})_{12}$	$1\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CH})_3$	hexane	69	3	Black insoluble powder
$1\{\text{Rh}(\text{CO})_2\text{Cl}\}_2$	$1\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CCH}_3)_3$	CH_2Cl_2	hv	1	Solution colour changed but no product was isolated.
$1\{\text{CpNi}(\text{CO})\}_2$	$1\text{As}(\text{C}\equiv\text{CCH}_3)_3$	hexane	69	3	Nothing.

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